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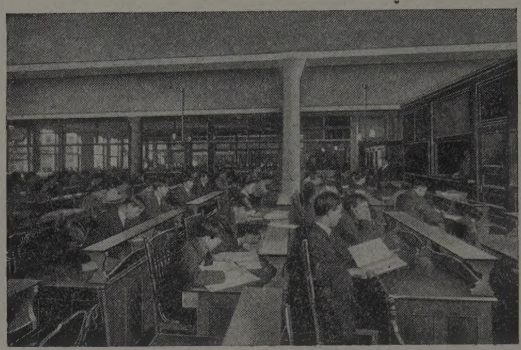

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Rules of Order

1. The Conference session shall open each day at 8:30 a. m. and close at 11:45 a. m., the devotional services to be under the direction of the Bishop.

2. The President shall take the chair at precisely the hour to which the Conference stood adjourned, and after devotions shall have the minutes of the previous session read and approved.

3. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to appeal to the Conference; but in case of an appeal the question shall be taken without debate. Provided, that after the President shall have stated the reason for his decision, the appellant may give the grounds of his appeal.

4. The President shall appoint all committees not otherwise ordered by the Conference.

5. All motions and resolutions shall be reduced to writing if the President, Secretary or any member requests it.

6. No motion shall be considered unless seconded.

7. When a motion is made and stated by the Chair, a resolution offered or a report read, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference.

8. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration is disposed of, which may be done by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following should intervene, which motion shall have precedence in the following order, viz.:

(1) The previous question.
(2) Indefinite postponement.
(3) To lay on the table.
(4) To refer to a committee.
(5) To postpone to a given time
(6) To amend.
(7) To substitute.
(8) To recommit.

9. Every speaker on any subject shall rise and address the President, and shall not be interrupted while speaking, unless he departs from the rules and decorum of the Conference.

10. No member shall be permitted to speak more than ten minutes at any one time, nor more than once on the same question, until all have spoken who desire, unless leave be granted by the Conference, which shall be decided by vote without debate.

11. Any member shall have the right to state a question of privilege, raise a point of order and make an explanation when he considers his arguments have been misrepresented by another.

12. When speaking, each member shall have due regard for the feelings of his brethren by avoiding irritating language and personal reflections.

13. The yeas and nays may be taken on any motion on the call of one-third of the members present.

14. When any measure shall have been adopted, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

15. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order and shall be decided without debate, unless it shall be for adjournment to a fixed time.

16. No member shall absent himself from the Conference without leave, unless he be sick or otherwise unable to attend.

17. The bar of the Conference shall be fixed by vote, and no member outside the bar will be permitted to vote on any question, and all members inside the bar shall vote upon all questions, unless they are excused by the Conference.

18. Visitors who address the Conference by permission shall not be permitted to speak more than ten minutes without unanimous consent.

19. All expressions of approval or disapproval during the progress of debate shall be deemed a breach of order.

20. In case an executive session be ordered, only members in full connection shall be permitted to sit therein, except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

21. These rules of order shall not be altered or suspended except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

General Rules

1. The Presiding Bishop is respectfully requested not to transfer into our Conference more men than are transferred out; not to bring men to places within our bounds without careful and equitable adjustment for all; but this rule shall not be contrued to the injury of our developing work or so as to embarrass the authorities in providing for new work.

2. All changes involving conference relations, as well as all candidates for admission on trial, readmission, admission upon credentials from other churches and for admission into full membership, shall be referred to a committee on Conference Relations; and no such change of relations shall be granted, nor any such candidate admitted, until such committee shall have made its report.

3. Whenever the Conference is to consider the admission on trial or reception into full connection of any brother, it shall go into executive session.

4. No candidate shall be admitted on trial into this Conference who is over 40 years of age.

5. All committees or societies to whom are committed matters requiring anniversary or other public service shall provide the program for such service.

6. Members are strictly forbidden to remain in the vestibule during the devotional exercises.

7. The roll of our honored dead shall be called immediately after the regular roll call in the presence of the Conference standing.

8. At the close of each Conference session the District Superintendents shall appoint a Committee on Memoirs, composed of one member from each district and one from the Conference at large, which shall be placed upon the list of standing committees. Each District Superintendent shall report to his committee the death of any minister or wife, or children of any minister, which may occur in his District. The chairman of this committee shall note the death of any member of the Conference or the wife of any such member, and then confer with the members of the committee. The memorial service shall be held immediately after the roll call of our honored dead. It shall consist of usual devotional exercises and an address of twenty minutes in length by some member of the Conference named by the committee in charge. The Committee on Memoirs shall have full control of the Conference memorial service.

9. The General Educational Collection shall be applied to the Endowment Fund of Willamette University, unless otherwise ordered by a vote of the Conference, and delivered to the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees.

10. The Secretary of the Conference shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and when approved, the printed minutes shall be the official record of the Conference. He shall take charge of the journals and all Conference papers, keep them safe and have them forwarded to the place of Conference sessions.

11. It shall be the duty of the Conference Treasurer to place in the hands of the Conference Claimants present, and to send to those absent, drafts for the amount due them from the funds of the Conference provided for that purpose, as shown by the report of the Conference Board of Stewards.

12. No person shall be advanced in his studies in the Conference course of study who is conditioned upon more than one study.

13. The President shall provide for closing up the business of the final session of the Annual Conference that due and sufficient time shall be given for proper devotional services just preceding the reading of the appointments, that no unseemly haste or disorder at such time be manifest.

14. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to publish these rules in the Conference Journal.

15. These general and standing rules shall not be altered or suspended except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

Course of Study and Reading for Traveling Preachers

The following plan of study and reading has been arranged for undergraduates and candidates for admission.

1. "Instruction by Correspondence" is expected of each Examiner for every student under his particular charge.

2. In the "books to be read" each student shall file with the Registrar a certificate that he has carefully read all the books.

3. Examinations will be held in connection with the Ministerial Associations or District Conferences and on the day previous to the Annual Conference. No examination can be taken at any other time, unless reasons satisfactory to the Chairman and Registrar are given.

4. Sermons and essays are required to be in the hands of the Examiner at least thirty days before Conference. It would be better to have them ready by mid-year examinations.

5. No reports of grades will be made to students except in cases falling below the minimum required to pass—70 per cent. In all such cases the Examiner shall report to the student that he failed to pass, and refer him to the Chairman of the Board to arrange for re-examination.

6. All grades should be reported to the Registrar as soon as practicable after the examinations.

7. A fee of $1.00 per year is required of each student to defray the necessary expenses of examinations, and must be paid before the examinations are begun.

8. The officers of the Board of Examiners are: Geo. F. Hopkins, Chairman; W. J. Douglass, Registrar; D. A. Watters, Treasurer. For any information address the Chairman or Registrar.

EXAMINERS	SCHEDULE OF EXAMINATIONS				
	Admission	First Year	Second Year	Third Year	Fourth Year
G. F. Hopkins				Basis Civilization	
H. Gould	Discipline	Fight Against Saloon	Light of World		
L. C. Poor				1. Doctrine 2. Written Sermon	Doctrine
H. T. Atkinson	Organizing and Building		Graded Sunday Schools		
W. R. F. Browne	Worker and Bible			History of Church	
G. H. Feese			How We Think	Sacerdotalism	Essay
W. S. Gordon		1. American History 2. English Style	Essay		
J. K. Hawkins	1. John Wesley 2. Written Sermon				Literary Criticism
W. R. Jeffrey, Jr.		Preparation and Delivery Sermons	Decisive Hour		Prophecy and Prophets
D. H. Leech			1. Origin and Nature 2. Pulpit and Parish		
W. J. Douglas		Jesus and Gospel			
A. R. Maclean	1. English Branches 2. Gen'l History				
G. O. Oliver		1. Digest 2. Written Sermon			Social Engineer
D. H. Trimble			Hermeneutics	Fact of Conversion	
D. A. Walters	Principles of Rhetoric				Theism
C. O. McCulloch	History, 25 Articles				Ethics

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EXAMINERS FOR LOCAL DEACONS AND ELDERS.

First year, D. H. Leach; second year, A. R. Maclean; third year, D. H. Trimble; fourth year, W. R. F. Browne. Elders orders, D A. Watters.

SESSIONS OF THE CONFERENCE

Date		Place	Presiding Officer	Secretary
Year	Month			
*1849	Sept. 5	Salem	Wm. Roberts	J. H. Wilbur
*1850	Sept. 4	Oregon City	Wm. Roberts	"
*1851	Sept. 3	Salem	Wm. Roberts	F. S. Hoyt
*1852	Sept. 2	Portland	Wm. Roberts	"
1853	Mar. 17	Salem	E. R. Ames	"
1854	Mar. 16	Belknap Settlement	M. Simpson	Wm. Roberts
1855	Aug. 1	Oregon City	O. C. Baker	"
1856	Sept. 17	Portland	Levi Scott	"
1857	Aug. 13	Corvallis	E. S. Janes	"
1858	Aug. 11	Salem	Levi Scott	H. K. Hines
1859	Aug. 10	Albany	O. C. Baker	I. Dillon
1860	Aug. 22	Portland	E. R. Ames	Wm. Roberts
1861	Aug. 7	Eugene	C. S. Kingsley	"
1862	Aug. 6	Vancouver, Wash	M. Simpson	"
1863	Aug. 12	Lebanon	E. S. Janes	"
1864	Aug. 18	Salem	D. W. Clark	C. C. Stratton
1865	Aug. 10	Olympia, Wash	Jas. H. Wilbur	"
1866	Aug. 8	Albany	E. C. Benson	"
1867	Aug. 7	Portland	E. Thompson	"
1868	Aug. 13	Salem	Levi Scott	"
1869	Aug. 5	Eugene	C. Kingsley	"
1870	Aug. 25	Vancouver, Wash	E. R. Ames	"
1871	Aug. 9	First Church, Portland	E. S. Janes	Wm. Roberts
1872	Aug. 29	Salem	R. S. Foster	H. K. Hines
1873	Sept. 3	Olympia, Wash	J. T. Peck	"
1874	Aug. 12	First Church, Portland	S. F. Merrill	L. M. Nickerson
1875	Aug. 11	Salem	J. T. Peck	John T. Wolfe
1876	Aug. 23	Albany	Wm. Harris	"
1877	Aug. 29	Seattle, Wash	Thos. Bowman	"
1878	Aug. 28	Salem	E. G. Andrews	"
1879	Aug. 20	First Church, Portland	Gilbert Haven	"
1880	Aug. 19	Eugene	I. W. Wiley	"
1881	Aug. 29	East Portland	W. L. Harris	"
1882	Aug. 23	Albany	J. F. Hurst	"
1883	Aug. 22	Vancouver, Wash	Henry Warren	"
1884	Aug. 27	Salem	Chas. Fowler	"
1885	Aug. 26	Roseburg	J. M. Walden	"
1886	Aug. 26	Forest Grove	Wm. L. Harris	"
1887	Aug. 31	Grace Church, Portland	R. S. Foster	"
1888	Aug. 30	Eugene	W. X. Ninde	John Parsons
1889	Aug. 28	First Church, Portland	Thos. Bowman	"
1890	Aug. 21	Grants Pass	John T. Newman	"
1891	Aug. 19	Salem	J. M. Fitzgerald	"
1892	Aug. 25	Portland	J. M. Walden	"
1893	Aug. 23	Albany	D. A. Goodsell	John N. Denison
1894	Sept. 19	Eugene	Isaac W. Joyce	"
1895	Sept. 25	First Church, Portland	Thomas Bowman	"
1896	Sept. 23	Roseburg	Earl Cranston	Cyrus A. Lewis
1897	Sept. 9	Corvallis	Cyrus D. Foss	"
1898	Sept. 14	McMinnville	C. C. McCabe	"
1899	Sept. 20	Salem	John H. Vincent	"
1900	Sept. 19	Ashland	E. G Andrews	"
1901	Sept. 25	Hillsboro	W. F. Mallalieu	"
1902	Sept. 25	Grants Pass	Earl Cranston	"
1903	Sept. 30	Salem	J. W. Hamilton	"
1904	Sept. 28	Eugene	Henry Spellmeyer	"
1905	Sept. 20	Albany	W. F. McDowell	"
1906	Sept. 26	Sunnyside, Portland	H. W. Warren	"
1897	Sept. 25	Grace Church, Portland	David H. Moore	Melville T. Wire
1908	Sept. 23	First Church, Salem	Edwin H. Hughes	"
1909	Sept. 15	Cottage Grove	Charles W. Smith	C. C. Rarick
1910	Sept. 21	Hillsboro	Charles W. Smith	"
1911	Sept. 20	Salem	Charles W. Smith	"
1912	Sept. 18	Ashland	R. J. Cook	"

*Oregon and California Conference.

1912 Sept. 18, Ashland—R. J. Cooke, C. C. Rarick

In Memoriam

"Blessed Are the Dead Which Die In the Lord"

NAME	DECEASED		Com'ncd Traveling	
	WHEN	WHERE	When	WHERE
N. S. McAllister..	Sep 26 1860	Albany, Oregon.....	1857	Oregon.....
T. B. Sanderson...	1865	.....	1857	Oregon.....
W. S. Lewis.....	Dec. 1 1865	The Dalles, Oregon...	1856	Ohio.....
W. B. Ellsworth ..	1865	La Grande, Oregon...	1856	Oregon.....
John Tindall.....	Nov. 1 1867	Umatilla, Oregon.....	1866	Oregon.....
D. Leslie.....	Mar. 1 1869	.....	....	New England..
Wm. Royal.....	Sep. 29 1870	Salem, Oregon.....	1831	Illinois.....
J. G. Deardorf....	May 31 1872	Ft. Simcoe, Wash....	1865	Oregon.....
A. F. Waller.....	Dec. 26 1872	Salem, Oregon.....	1832	Genessee.....
G. Hines.....	August 1874	Salem, Oregon.....	1832	Genessee.....
N. Rounds.....	Jan. 2 1874	Clark Co., Wash.....	1831	Oneida.....
L. T. Woodward..	1876	.....	1850	North Indiana.
S. H. Mann.....	Mar. 15 1876	Brownsville, Oregon..	1865	Oregon.....
N. A. Starr.....	Aug. 29 1881	Springfield, Oregon...	1854	Oregon.....
H. C. Jenkins.....	Jan. 7 1883	Halsey, Oregon.....	1866	Oregon.....
J. W. York.....	Feb. 19 1884	Corvallis, Oregon....	1826	Missouri.....
John Spencer.....	Jun 30 1885	McMinville, Oregon..	1828	Pittsburg.....
H. Patterson.....	Sep. 7 1886	Hillsboro, Oregon....	1867	Oregon.....
T. L. Sails.....	Feb. 26 1888	McMinville, Oregon..	1874	Oregon.....
J. T. Wolfe.....	July 24 1888	Corvallis, Oregon....	1865	Oregon.....
W. M. Roberts....	Aug. 22 1888	Dayton, Oregon.....	1834	Philadelphia...
L. M. Nickerson..	Sep. 12 1888	Crafton, California...	....	Oneida.....
Wm. Helm.....	Jan. 23 1890	Portland, Oregon.....	1822	Kentucky.....
H. P. Satchwell...	Feb. 1 1894	Newberg, Oregon.....	1859	New England..
Josiah L. Parrish..	1895	Salem, Oregon.....	1855	Oregon.....
John H. Roork....	Feb. 18 1895	Salem, Oregon..	1869	Oregon.....
Hiram P. Webb...	Aug. 23 1895	Sellwood, Oregon....	1883	Oregon.....
Albert N. McCart.	May 1896	Portland, Oregon.....	1889	Idaho.....
John N. Denison..	Jan. 14 1897	Grants Pass, Oregon..	1871	Oregon.....
G. W. Quimby....	Sep. 6 1897	Viola, Oregon.....	1867	Missouri.....
C. R. Thoburn....	May 9 1899	Portland, Oregon.....	1885	India.....
P. M. Starr.....	Oct. 21 1900	Brownsville, Oregon..	1856	Oregon.....
J. McIntire.....	June 3 1901	LaFayette, Oregon...	1884	Oregon.....
O. B. Streyffeler..	July 20 1901	Santa Ana, Cal.....	1893	Oregon.....
G. W. Gue.....	July 24 1901	Portland, Oregon.....	1859	Illinois.....
R. T. Baldwin....	Aug. 6 1903	Pasadena, California.	1882	Kansas.....
G. W. Roork.....	June 5 1904	Lostine, Oregon.....	1855	Oregon.....
H. R. Hill.....	Sep. 16 1904	Portland, Oregon.....	1903	Oregon.....
N. Doane.....	May 4 1905	Portland, Oregon.....	1853	Oregon.....
R. M. Corner.....	July 27 1905	Mosca, Colorado.....	1891	Oregon.....
J. W. Miller.....	Feb. 14 1906	Portland, Oregon.....	1853	Oregon.....
D. L. Spaulding...	1905	Spokane, Wash.....	1858	Oregon.....
C. Alderson.....	Oct. 12 1907	Albany, Oregon.....	1856	Oregon.....
I. D. Driver.....	Oct. 30 1907	Tangent, Oregon.....	1858	Oregon.....
J. M. Sweeney....	June 2 1908	Elkton, Oregon.....	1884	Oregon.....
J. R. Hammond...	Apr. 24 1908	Cataumet, Mass.....	1866	N. Y. East.....
D. McLachlin.....	Nov. 28 1908	Portland, Oregon.....	1869	Mississippi.....
J. H. B. Royal....	Jan. 6 1910	Portland, Oregon.....	1854	Oregon.....
C. C. Stratton....	April 10 1910	Portland, Oregon.....	1858	Oregon.....
T. F. Royal.....	Mar. 7 1911	Portland, Oregon.....	1846	Rock River....

Conference Roll and Directory

EFFECTIVE ELDERS

NAME	ADMITTED			P. O. ADDRESS (In State of Oregon unless otherwise designated)
	Where First	When	When Oregon	
Abbett, J. T.	N. W. Indiana	1884	1890	Eugene
Aldrich, H. N	Detroit	1894	1911	Central Point
Allen, R. H.	Oregon	1906	....	390 S. 18th St., Salem
Atkinson, H. T.	Oregon	1894	....	McMinnville
Avison, R. N.	Minnesota	1888	1910	Salem
Baldwin, C. H.		....	1910	Alaska
Beckman, C. O.	N. Minnesota	1896	1903	113 Third St., Albuquerque, New Mexico
Blackwell, R. C.	Oregon	1897	....	Juneau, Alaska
Brackenbury, A. C.	Wyoming	1894	1903	1412 S. Commercial St. Salem
Bristol, B. A.	Oregon	1899	....	Jefferson
Brown, J. M.		....	....	Nehalem
Browne, W. R. F.	North Dakota	1894	1904	Estacada
Bryan, C. H.		....	....	Myrtle Point
Calder, A. B.	Meth. Ch. of Can	1885	1908	Yamhill
Chan. Sing Kai	Meth. Ch. of Can	1901	1902	226½ Morrison St., P't'ld
Clemo, F. S.	Montana	1892	1901	Toledo
Cook, C. T.	Columbia River	1901	1909	Arleta
Creesy, Chas. L.	Oregon	1907	....	Canby
Cudlipp, J. H.	Detroit	1888	1909	445 Taylor St., Portland
Dark, C. L.	Meth. Protestant	....	1911	Rainier
Dewart, S. H.	Minnesota	1883	1904	E. 35th & Powell V. Port.
Douglass, W. J.	Michigan	1885	1906	677 Vanderbilt St. Port.
Downs, T. H.	Meth. Ch. of Can	1887	1907	Cornelius
Drake, F. G.	West Wisconsin	1898	1907	Coburg
Drew, W. P.	Des Moines	1899	1903	142 Garfield Avenue Galesburg, Ills.
Dunlap, R. E.	Oregon	1895	....	122 Church St., Ashland
Dunlop, J. F.	N. W. Iowa	1895	1908	Creswell
Eldredge, E. O.	Baltimore	1876	1909	Medford
Erskine, W. M.	Iowa	1890	1905	Lafayette
Feese, G. H.	Arkansas	1887	1903	Klamath Falls
Fields, D. Lester	Oregon	1901	....	Dallas
Fisher, F. V.	Black Hills Miss'n.	1889	1909	Ogden, Utah
Fisher, A. N.	E. Genesee	1862	1900	71 So. Euclid Avenue Pasadena, Cal.
T. B. Ford	Mis.and Ark.	1868	1912	Oregon City
Fry, William H	Meth. Ch. of Can.	1896	1910	1064 E. Yamhill, Portl'nd
Gittins, E.	Oregon	1884	....	Amity
Gordon, W. S.	Oregon	1897	....	Woodburn
Gould, Hiram	Oregon	1888	....	Forest Grove
Gray, G. A.	Central Ohio	1906	1907	Marcola
Green, J. S.	North Nebraska	1895	1909	Halsey
Hamilton, C. L.	Nebraska	1890	1902	1607 E. Stark, Portland
Hampton, Wm. H.	N. W. Kansas	1905	1910	36 E. 80th St., Portland
Harbit, N. J.		....	....	Turner
Hawkins, J. K.	Oregon	1901	....	Sellwood, Portland
Hisey, A. S.	Nebraska	....	1910	North Bend

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NAME	ADMITTED			P. O. ADDRESS (In State of Oregon unless otherwise designated)
	Where First	When	When Oregon	
Hocking, Richard			1909	Shedds
Hollingshead, W. B.	E. Ohio	1885	1897	1026 Arch St., Philadel'a
Homan, Fletcher	Des Moines	1896	1908	Salem
Hopkins, G. F.	Meth. Ch. of Can.	1884	1910	154 Webster St.,Portland
Irvine, J. H.	East Maine		1911	Salem
Jahn, G. A.	Pacific German		1911	Cleone
Jeffrey, W. R., Jr.	Iowa	1893	1907	Grants Pass
James, Frank	Michigan	1907	1909	887 Savier St., Portland
Kester, S. J.	Colorado	1902	1907	Sheridan
Knotts, Joseph	Oregon	1907		Junction
Kuhlman, H. W.	N. Y. East		1908	Tillamook
Lawrence, C. H.				Springfield
Lee, Harry	Dakota		1911	Coquille
Leech, D. H.	Columbia River	1897	1899	Albany
Lisle, James	Des Moines	1862	1910	Salem
Mace, E. S.	Wilmington	1885	1910	Stayton
Maclean, A. R.	S. Kansas	1887	1908	Roseburg
McCulloch, C. O.	Central Illinois	1873	1911	104 E. 19th St., Portland
McDougall, J. W.	Michigan	1889	1901	324 Glenn Ave., Portland
McPherson, C. T.	M. E. Ch., South	1897	1899	380 Hemlock Av., Portl'd
Mickey, J. J.				Bandon
Moore, Jas. T.	East Maine	1890	1909	Cottage Grove
Moore, James	Oregon	1897		Salem
Moore, W. B.	Oregon	1894		Lents
Myers, R. E.	Oklahoma	1893	1907	Lakeview
Oliver, G. O.	Oregon	1905		Seaside
Parounagian, M. B.	Vermont	1893	1907	Brownsville
Parsons, John	Oregon	1877		Nome, Alaska
Patton, J. J.	Oregon	1904		St. Johns
Poor, L. C.	N. Indiana	1897	1908	Ashland
Rarick, C. C.	S. W. Kansas	1892	1906	217 Morris St., Portland
Rollins, J. C.	Congregational Ch		1910	Corvallis
Rummell, H. W.	North Nebraska	1905	1911	Jacksonville
Rutledge, H. I.	Iowa	1899	1908	Marshfield
Sandifur, F. N.	Indiana	1895	1908	Independence
Schwartz, H. W.			1907	Sendai, Japan
Short, F. B.	Wilmington	1891	1904	37 "H" St., Salt Lake City, Utah
Skipworth, Walton			1912	Newberg
Smith, L. F.	Nebraska	1887	1906	Banks
Speiss, Henry	M. E. Church., So	1896	1905	Clackamas
Spencer, J. C.	California	1901	1911	Silverton
Stewart, W. C.	Oregon	1906		Dayton
Sutcliffe, Robt.	East Maine	1894	1908	Lebanon
Thomas, Louis	Meth. Ch. of Can.	1903	1908	1347 E. 10th, N., Portl'd
Todd, E. H.	Des Moines	1886	1910	1330S. 12th St., Salem
Trimble, Delmer H.	Meth. Ch. of Can.	1896	1906	644 E. Ankeny St., Port'd
Tufts, G. L.	Cincinnati	1884	1904	1577 Leroy Avenue, Berkeley, California
Van Marter, C. M.	N. W. Iowa	1895	1907	1145 E.Madison, Portl'd
Van Fossen, H. J.	Minnesota	1877	1906	Astoria
Waehlte, Fred M.	Oregon	1909		Dilley

EFFECTIVE ELDERS

NAME	ADMITTED			P. O. ADDRESS (In State of Oregon unless otherwise designated)
	Where First	When	When Oregon	
Watters, D. A.	Iowa	1874	1890	321E. 8th St., N. Portl'd
Wall, Oren	Indiana	1903	1911	Yoncalla
Weber, W. J.	S. W. Kansas	1906	1907	Hillsboro
Westervelt, J. H.	Ohio	1899	1909	Cedarville, California
Wilkinson, H. S.	Upper Iowa	1893	1910	Eugene
Wilson, C. T.	Wilmington	1892	1905	Topeka, Kansas
Wire, Melville T.	Oregon	1902	....	Gresham
Young, Benjamin	Colorado	1890	1907	221 11th St., Portland

SUPERNUMERARIES

Beatty, J. L.	Upper Iowa	1888	1903	
Belknap, L. F.	Oregon	1893	....	
DeBord, J. B.	Kentucky	1903	1908	
Holladay, E. C.	Des Moines	1896	1909	Dallas
Ingalls, W. E.	N. Indiana	1901	1906	
Pepper, W. B.	Oregon	1901	....	4117 N. 44th Ave., Chicago, Ill.
Salisbury, H. R.	Upper Iowa	1892	1907	
Wentzell, G. J.		....	1908	
Oberg, H.	Oregon	1891	....	Portland
Zimmerman, E. F.	Oregon	....	1897	

SUPERANNUATES

Booth, Robert	Oregon	1855	....	Salem
Bryan, C. M.	N. W. Iowa	1867	1886	Jefferson
Buckner, N. S.	Illinois	1866	1893	Calistoga, California
Calder, F. H.	Nebraska	1879	1888	Brenton, Wash.
Clarke, Nelson	Oregon	1857	....	1720 Walnut Street, Berkeley, California
Cline, C. E.	S. Illinois	1868	1888	709 East Salmon Street Portland
Cochran, L. G.	Central Illinois	1881	1900	Upland, California
Fairchild, A. C.	Oregon	1861	....	Redlands, California
Flinn, John	Maine	1848	1906	719 Hancock St., Portl'd
Gardner, W. J.	N. W. Iowa	1875	1890	Cottage Grove
Hoberg, J.	Oregon	1861	....	McMinnville
Holcomb, W. S.	Columbia River	1886	1901	Brownsville
Horner, E. R.	Columbia River	1874	1889	Beaverton
Kerr, W. T.	Central Illinois	1877	1895	1012 Mississippi Ave. Portland
Lewis, C. A.	Nebraska	1877	1889	Oak Grove
Meminger, S. E.	Central Penna.	1883	1889	
Myers, W. H.	S. W. Kansas	1886	1892	Brownsville
Rees, C. M.	N. Dakota	1887	1901	Amity
Skidmore, J. H.	Oregon	1868	....	Irving
Skipworth, N. M.	Columbia River	1881	1884	Eugene

SUPERANNUATES—Continued

NAME	ADMITTED			P. O. ADDRESS (In State of Oregon unless otherwise designated)
	Where First	When	When Oregon	
Snyder, Samuel	N. W. Iowa	1881	1898	Brownsville
Snyder, Sanford	Michigan	1872	1898	Salem
Stephens, D. G.	Wyoming	1872	1894	Woodlawn
Stockwell, C. A.	Wisconsin	1872	1902	Marquam
Stratford, J. L.	So. Kansas	1880	1892	Creswell
Wire, M. C.	Rock River	1876	1884	Newberg
Wolfe, David	Minnesota	1889	1891	Boring
Jones, T. L.	Oregon	1877	....	Brownsville
Round, G. F.	M. E. Ch., South	1865	1888	Newberg
Sleeth, Asa	S. E. Indiana	1870	1903	1025 Michigan Av, Port'd

UNDERGRADUATES--Fourth Year

McCain, Harry G.	Oregon	1910	....	1737 Orrington Avenue Evanston, Illinois
Smith, E. M.		1909	....	Salem

Third Year

Curtis, Chesley E.		....	1912	Clatskanie
Heist, A. A.	Oregon	1908	....	Heck Hall, Evanston, Ill.
Jasper, F. M.	Oregon	1908	....	Salem
Rees, C. B.		1910	....	Beaverton

Second Year

Bishop, R. S.	Oregon	1909	....	Gardiner
Luther, E. T.	Oregon	1911	....	St. Helens
Yarnes, T. D.	Oregon	1911	....	Brooks

First Year

Hall, George W.	Oregon	1910	....	
Heath, C. O.	Oregon	1912	....	Salem
Powell, W. F.	Oregon	1912	....	
Warrell, John W.	Oregon	1912	....	
Young, Robt. C.	Oregon	1912	....	Port Orford

Conference Officers

PRESIDENT—Bishop Richard J Cooke, D. D., LL. D., 414 N. Thirty-first street, Portland, Oregon.

SECRETARY—C. C. Rarick, 217 Morris Street, Portland, Oregon.

ASSISTANTS—R. E. Myers, Frank James.

STATISTICIAN—D. Lester Fields, Dallas, Oregon.

ASSISTANTS—T. D. Yarnes, E. M. Smith, E. T. Luther, C. O. Heath, H. T. Green, C. B. Rees.

TREASURER—H. T. Atkinson, McMinnville.

ASSISTANTS—F. N. Sandifur, G. O. Oliver, F. S. Clemo.

CONFERENCE POSTMASTER—Wm. H. Hampton.

Boards and Committees

CONFERENCE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS.

The District Superintendents, the District Missionary Secretaries, the District Epworth League Presidents, one Sunday School Superintendent and one Layman from each District as follows:

EUGENE DISTRICT—L. L. Lewis, Eugene; A. M. Hammer, Albany.

KLAMATH DISTRICT—C. A. Meeker, Medford; L. L. Herrick, Grants Pass.

PORTLAND DISTRICT—J. D. Ogden, Portland; James Bamford, Portland.

SALEM DISTRICT—C. O. Presnell, Salem; A. G. Hoffman, Forest Crove.

OFFICERS—R. N. Avison, President; Delmar H. Trimble, Vice-President; D. H. Leech, Secretary; W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., Treasurer.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION.

The District Superintendents, ex-officio: W. J. Douglass, W. T. Kerr, F. S. Akin, J. C. McGrew, R. H. Hughes, S. S. Gillispie, Portland; R. A. Booth, Eugene; F. S. Sackett, Sheridan.

DISTRICT BOARDS OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION.

EUGENE DISTRICT—District Superintendent, H. S. Wilkinson, J. C. Rollins, R. K. Ohling, R. A. Booth.

KLAMATH DISTRICT—District Superintendent, A. R. Maclean, H. N. Aldrich, C. E. Widdoes, W. T. Lawton.

PORTLAND DISTRICT—District Superintendent, C. O. McCulloch, G. F. Hopkins, G. F. Johnson, A. F. Flegal.

SALEM DISTRICT—District Superintendent, H. Gould, R. N. Avison, J. F. Hertzler, W. M. Barrett.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

Geo. F. Hopkins, Chairman; W. J. Douglass, Registrar; D. A. Watters, Treasurer; H. T. Atkinson, W. R. F. Brown, G. H. Feese, W. S. Gordon, J. K. Hawkins, W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., D. H. Leech, W J. Douglass, A. R. Maclean, Delmar H. Trimble, G. O. Oliver, L. C. Poor, C. O. McCulloch, Hiram Gould.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

The District Superintendents, ex-officio: W. H. Fry, President; W. C. Stewart, Vice-President; E. O. Eldridge, Secretary; R. S. Bishop, Treasurer; C. C. Miller, J. W. Zimmerman, A. E. Austin, C A. Meeker.

CONFERENCE MISSIONARY SECRETARIES.

EUGENE DISTRICT—D. H. Leech.

KLAMATH DISTRICT—W. R. Jeffrey, Jr.

PORTLAND DISTRICT—Delmar H. Trimble.

SALEM DISTRICT—R. N. Avison.

BOARD OF CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

Term to expire 1913, W. S. Gordon, Delmar H. Trimble, J. K. Hawkins; term to expire 1914, W. J. Douglass, W. R. F. Browne, A. R. Maclean; term to expire 1915, Hiram Gould, J. J. Patton, W. C. Stewart.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF STEWARDS.

Terms to expire 1913, W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., C. L. Hamilton, H. W. Kuhlman; term to expire 1914, E. Gittins, D. H. Leech, C L. Cressy; term to expire 1915, L. F. Belknap, M. B. Parounagian, Joseph Knoots

CONFERENCE BOARD OF DEACONESSES.

Term to expire 1913, W. H. Fry, W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., Mrs.

F. B. Holbrook; term to expire 1914, Delmar H. Trimble, Mrs. T. S. McDaniel, C. C. Rarick; term to expire 1915, Miss Maud Kenworthy, Benjamin Young, W. J. Douglass.

CONFERENCE TRUSTEES.

Term to expire 1913, W. T. Kerr; term to expire 1914, T. L. Jones; term to expire 1915, Hiram Gould.

TRUSTEES CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS PERMANENT FUND.

Term to expire 1913, W. T. Kerr; terms to expire 1914, T. L. Jones; term to expire 1915, Hiram Gould.

EQUALIZING APPORTIONMENTS FOR EPISCOPAL FUND.

D. H. Leech, H. N. Aldrich, E. H. Todd.

SOCIAL SERVICE COMMISSION.

C. O. McCulloch, R. N. Avison, W. J. Douglass.

CONFERENCE FINANCE COMMISSION.

J. K. Hawkins, G. F. Hopkins, W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., D. H. Leech, R. A. Booth, Eugene; T. S. McDaniel, Portland; D. A. Lawton, Medford; A. A. Lee, Salem.

EPWORTH LEAGUE INSTITUTE COMMISSION

Joseph Knotts, Frank James, A R. Maclean, W. J. Weber, J. C. Spencer.

TRIERS OF APPEALS.

Benjamin Young, Robert Sutcliff, T. B. Ford, H. J. Van Fossen, W. R. Jeffrey, Jr.; Reserves: J. C. Rollins, A. C Brackenbury.

TO PREACH THE MISSIONARY SERMON.

R. N. Avison; Alternate, Robert Sutcliff.

Standing Committees

Aggressive Evangelism—Wm. R. Jeffrey, Jr., W. S. Gordon, C. H. Lawrence, C. M. Van Marter.

Auditing—C L. Dark, H. W. Rummell, B. A. Bristol, W. B. Moore.

American Bible Society—H. S. Wilkinson, H. N. Aldrich, C. L. Dark, J. C. Spencer.

Books and Periodicals—E. O. Eldridge, A. B. Calder, F. N. Sandifur and H. N. Aldrich.

Children's Day—T. D. Yarnes, E. T. Luther, H. N. Aldrich and G. A. Gray.

Chinese Work—F. G. Drake, G. F. Hopkins, W. M. Erskine, R. E. Myers.

Education—Robert Sutcliffe, R. N. Avison, Walton Skipworth, H. S. Wilkinson, Benj. Young, S H. Dewart, J. H. Westervelt, J. J. Patton and A. R. Maclean.

Episcopal and Conference Claimant Funds—W. H. Hampton, Richard Hocking, J. C. Spencer and H. W. Rummell.

Epworth League—Frank James, T. H. Downs, Joseph Knotts and G. H. Feese.

Freedmen's Aid Society—M T. Wire, W. H. Fry, J. S. Green and E. O. Eldridge

Indian Mission—J. W. Warrell, J. C. Rollins, H. W. Kuhlman and C. E. Curtis.

Memoirs—W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., J. H. Irvine, J. F. Dunlop and Louis Thomas.

Public Worship—Pastor and District Superintendent.

Resolutions—C. H. Lawrence, Edward Gittens, C. O. McCulloch, J. T. Moore and H. N. Aldrich.

Sanctity of the Sabbath—Henry Speiss, G. L. Tufts, H. J. Van Fossen and J. W. Warrell.

Temperance—C. T. Wilson, C. T. Cook, T. B. Ford, J. T. Moore, H. I. Rutledge

Note—The above committees are the nominations of the District Superintendents, and for the approval of the Annual Conference of 1913. They are arranged without reference to permanent chairmanship. The first named will call the committee together for organization on the first day of Conference session.

Appointments

Names in *Italics* are *Undergraduates.* Those in *Parenthesis* are *Supplies.* The numeral following the name indicates the year of service on that charge. Districts and charges are alphabetically arranged. Where different from name of charge, post-office of pastor is given in brackets; also street and number where necessary. (See Conference Roll, pages 10-13.) Name of state Oregon unless otherwise indicated.

EUGENE DISTRICT.

J. T. Abbett, Superintendent, 3

856 South Willamette St., Eugene, Oregon.

Albany	D. H. Leech	2
Bandon	J. J. Mickey	1
Brownsville	M. B. Parounagian	3
Buena Vista (Salem)	*C. O. Heath*	1
Coburg	F. G. Drake	1
Coquille	Harry Lee	1
Corvallis	J. C. Rollins	3
Cottage Grove	J. T. Moore	1
Crawfordsville	(R. Z. Brown)	1
Creswell	J. F. Dunlop	2
Drain	To be supplied	
Elkton	To be supplied	
Eugene	H. S. Wilkinson	3
Gardiner	*R. S. Bishop*	1
Halsey	J. S. Green	1
Harrisburg and Irving (Salem)	R. H. Allen	1
Independence	F. N. Sandifur	2
Jefferson	B. A. Bristol	2
Junction	Joseph Knotts	3
Lebanon	Robert Sutcliffe	1
Loraine and Saginaw (Loraine)	(F. W. Snyder)	1
Lowell and Oak Ridge (Lowell)	(B. Burt Paul)	2
Marcola	G. A. Gray	1
Marshfield	H. I. Rutledge	5
Mehama and Lyons (Mehama)	(Isaiah Sparks)	1
Monroe	(J. G. Crozier)	2
Mountain View (Corvallis, R. D. 1)	(R. J. Davenport)	2
Myrtle Point	C. H. Bryan	1
North Bend	A. S. Hisey	3
Port Orford	*R. C. Young*	1

Shedds	Richard Hocking	3
Siletz Indian Mission (Siletz)	(W. T. Pearce)	6
Springfield	C. H. Lawrence	2
Stayton	E. S. Mace	2
Toledo	F. S. Clemo	1
Trent and Goshen (Dexter)	(R. L. Edwards)	1
Turner	N. J. Harbit	1
Yoncalla	Oren Wall	2

KLAMATH DISTRICT.

R. E. Dunlap, Superintendent, 6

196 Elizabeth St., Ashland, Oregon.

Ashland	L. C. Poor	2
Bonanza	(W. J. Warren)	2
Canyonville	To be supplied	
Central Point	H. N. Aldrich	3
Dorris, Calif	(J. M. Hagar)	1
Gold Hill (Ashland, Ore.)	(E. C. Richards)	3
Grants Pass	R. Jeffrey, Jr.	2
Indian Missions-Klamath	*J. W. Warrell*	2
Yainax (Bly, Ore.)	(W. H. Peffly)	1
Jacksonville	H. W. Rummell	1
Kerby	(R. D. Cady)	3
Klamath Falls	Geo. H. Feese	4
Lakeview	R. E. Myers	1
Medford	E. O. Eldridge	2
Merrill	(Thos. Acheson)	1
New Pine Creek	(G. W. Burnett)	1
Oakland	(D. S. Davis)	3
Paisley	(E. S. Wilcox)	2
Roseburg	A. R. Maclean	2
Talent	(Geo. H. Way)	2
Ten Mile	To be supplied	
Wilbur	(A. S. Jenkins)	2
Wilderville	(J. W. Cullen)	1
Wolf Creek (Ashland, Ore.)	(R. J. Ferguson)	1

PORTLAND DISTRICT.

J. W. McDougall, Superintendent, 3

324 Glenn Ave., Portland, Oregon.

Astoria	H. J. Van Fossen	2

Clatskanie	*C. E. Curtis*	1
Houlton	(R. E. Corbin)	1
Knappa	To be supplied	
Linnton	S. H. Dewart	1
Portland-Centenary	D. H. Trimble	3
Central	C. C. Rarick	1
Chinese Mission	Chan Sing Kai	11
Clinton Kelly Memorial	C. O. McCulloch	2
Epworth	Frank James	2
First Church	Benjamin Young 6, Assistant J. H. Cudlipp	5
Laurelwood	C. T. Cook	1
Lincoln and Brentwood	(L. G. Parker)	2
Mt. Tabor	C. L. Hamilton	1
Montavilla	W. H. Hampton	2
Patton	G. F. Hopkins	1
Sellwood	J. K. Hawkins	3
St. Johns	J. J. Patton	2
Sunnyside	W. H. Fry	3
Trinity	C. T. McPherson	2
University Park	W. J. Douglass	2
Westmoreland and Carson Heights	(H. T. Greene)	2
Woodstock	(D. W. Moore)	2
Woodlawn	Louis Thomas	1
Rainier	C. L. Dark	1
Seaside	G. O. Oliver	2
St. Helens	*E. T. Luther*	1
Warrenton	To be supplied	

SALEM DISTRICT.

JAMES MOORE, Superintendent, 4

1395 S. High St., Salem, Oregon.

Amity	Edward Gittens	5
Ballston	(J. M. Hixon)	3
Banks	L. F. Smith	2
Beaverton	*C. B. Rees*	3
Brooks	*T. D. Yarnes*	3
Canby	C. L. Creesy	4
Carlton and Hubbard	(F. S. Francis)	1
Clackamas and Oak Grove	Henry Speiss	3
Cleone	G. A. Jahn	3
Cornelius	T. H. Downs	1
Dallas	D. L. Fields	2

Dayton	W. C. Stewart	1
Dilley	F. M. Waehlte	1
Estacada	W. R. F. Browne	3
Falls City (Salem)	(L. T. Prose)	1
Forest Grove	Hiram Gould	7
Gresham	M. T. Wire	1
Hillsboro	W. J. Weber	2
Hope Chapel	*F. M. Jasper*	4
Lafayette	W. M. Erskine	1
Lents	W. B. Moore	5
Marquam	(A. G. Child)	1
McMinnville	H. T. Atkinson	2
Mulino	(F. A. Piper)	1
Nehalem	J. M. Brown	1
Newberg	Walton Skipworth	1
Oregon City	T. B. Ford	2
Oswego	(Robert Bryner)	2
Pleasant Home and Boring	(W. L. Wilson)	1
Salem—First Church	R. N. Avison	3
Jason Lee Memorial	J. H. Irvine	1
Leslie	A. C. Brackenbury	2
West Salem	(M. L. Bullock)	2
Salem Circuit	To be supplied	
Sandy	To be supplied	
Sheridan	S. J. Kester	1
Silverton	J. C. Spencer	2
Tillamook	H. W. Kuhlman	1
Tualatin and Wilsonville	(A. S. Mulligan)	1
Viola	(C. C. Coop)	2
Willamina	(C. W. Comstock)	1
Woodburn	W. S. Gordon	2
Yamhill	A. B. Calder	1

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

A. N. Fisher, Secretary of Systematic Beneficence, member First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

Fletcher Homan, President Willamette University, member First Church Salem, Quarterly Conference.

E. H. Todd, Vice-President Willamette University, member First Church Portland, Quarterly Conference.

C. T. Wilson, Corresponding Secretary Temperance Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, member Centenary, Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

James Lisle, Libarian of Willamette University, member First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

G. L. Tufts, Secretary of Methodist Federation for Social Service, member First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

W. P. Drew, President of Knox College, Galesburg, Ill., member First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

D. A. Watters, member First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference, C. M. Van Marter, Conference Evangelists, member Centenary Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

A. A. Heist, member First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference, H. G. McCain, G. W. Hall, E. M. Smith left without appointment to attend school, members First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

John Parsons, Superintendent Alaska Mission.

F. B. Short, F. V. Fisher, W. F. Powell, Missionaries in Utah.

H. W. Swartz, Missionary in Japan.

C. O. Beckman, Missionary in New Mexico.

R. C. Blackwell, Missionary in Alaska.

C. W. Pogue, J. H. Westervelt, Missionaries in Nevada Mission.

W. B. Hollingshead, Secretary of Appointments, member of First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

Missionary Appropriations 1912-1913

EUGENE DISTRIST.

Bandon	$ 150 00
Coquille	150 00
Crawfordsville	100 00
Drain	50 00
Elkton	50 00
Harrisburg and Irving	100 00
Jefferson	100 00
Lorane and Saginaw	100 00
Lowell and Oak Ridge	50 00
Marcola	100 00
Mehama and Lyons	100 00
Mountain View	50 00
Myrtle Point	100 00
Port Orford	200 00
Shedds	45 00
Siletz Indian Mission	314 00
Stayton	150 00
Toledo	150 00
Trent and Goshen	50 00
Turner	100 00
Yoncalla	100 00
Total	$2309 00

KLAMATH DISTRICT.

Bonanza	$ 150 00
Canyonville	100 00
Dorris	200 00
Gold Hill	200 00
Jacksonville	100 00
Kerby	100 00
Merrill	150 00
New Pine Creek	100 00
Oakland	120 00
Paisley	180 00
Talent	200 00
Ten Mile	100 00
Wilbur	180 00
Wilderville	100 00
Wolf Creek	65 00
District	600 00
Klamath Indian Mission	506 00
Total	$3151 00

PORTLAND DISTRICT.

Clatskanie	$ 100 00
Houlton	175 00
Knappa	150 00
Linnton	150 00
Rainier	175 00
Warrenton	160 00
Total	$ 910 00

SALEM DISTRICT.

Ballston	$ 125 00
Banks	200 00
Beaverton	100 00
Brooks	100 00
Carlton and Hubbard	50 00
Cleone	200 00
Dayton	100 00
Falls City	75 00
Hope Chapel	125 00
Lafayette	150 00
Marquam	100 00
Mulino	100 00
Nehalem	200 00
Oswego	100 00
West Salem	100 00
Viola	100 00
Willamina	200 00
Yamhill	75 00
Total	$2200 00
Grand total	$8570 00

Approved, R. J. Cooke.

Disciplinary Questions

1. Is this Annual Conference incorporated according to the requirements of the Discipline?

Yes.

2. Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?

T. B. Ford, Columbia River; Chesley E. Curtis, Columbia River and placed in studies of the third year; J. J. Mickey, Northwest Kansas; C. H. Bryan, Dakota; C. H. Lawrence, California; Walton Skipworth, Columbia River; J. M. Brown, Idaho.

3. Who have been Readmitted?

None.

4. Who have been received on credentials and from what churches?

None.

5. Who have been Received on Trial?

(a) In Studies of First Year: Cary Oscar Heath, Robert Carl Young, John Wesley Warrell, W. F. Powell.

(b) In studies of third year?

None.

6. Who have been Continued on Trial?

(a) In Studies of First Year: Geo. W. Hall.

(b) In Studies of Second Year, Robert S. Bishop, Edward T. Luther, Thomas D. Yarnes.

(c) In Studies of Third Year, none.
(d) In Studies of Fourth Year, Harry G. McCain.

7. Who have been Discontinued?
Chas. H. Johnston, Wayne S. Badley.

8. Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?
(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year, C. B. Rees.
(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously, none.

9. What Members are in Studies in Third Fear?
(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year, C. B. Rees.
(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously, Chesley E. Curtis (transferred from the Columbia River Conference); A. A. Heist, Franklin M. Jasper.

10. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?
Ernest M. Smith (conditioned on History Christian Doctrine).

11. What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?
(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year, Fred M. Waehlte, Frank James.
(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously, none.

12. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?
(a) As Local Preachers, none.
(b) Under Missionary Rule, W. F. Powell.
(c) Under Seminary Rule, none.

13. What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?
(a) As Local Deacons, none.
(b) Under Missionary Rule, none.
(c) Under Seminary Rule, none.

14. Was the Character of each Preacher examined?
This was done in the usual manner as the name of each was called in open Conference.

15. Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?
Addis F. Lacy to the California; W. C. Reuter, Columbia River.

16. Who have Died?
None.

17. Who have been Located at their own Request?

W. F. Rogers, T. J. Hazelton.

18. Who have been Located?

19. Who have withdrawn?

None.

20. Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?

None.

21. Who have been Expelled?

None.

22. What other personal Notation should be made?

E. D. Farnsworth, orders recognized as a local Elder.

23. Who are the Supernumerary Ministers?

H. Oberg, E. F. Zimmerman, W. B. Pepper, L. F. Belknap, J. L. Beatty, J. B. DeBord, E. C. Holladay, W. E. Ingalls, H. R. Salisbury, G. J. Wentzell.

24. Who are the Retired Ministers?

T. L. Jones, G. F. Round, Asa Sleeth, Robert Booth, C. M. Bryan, N. S. Buckner, F. H. Calder, Nelson Clark, C E. Cline, L. G. Cochran, A. C. Fairchild, John Flinn, W. J. Gardner, J. Hoberg, W. S. Holcomb, E. R. Horner, W. T. Kerr, C. A. Lewis, S. E. Memninger, W. H. Myers, C. M. Rees, J. H. Skidmore, N. M. Skipworth, Samuel Snyder, Sanford Snyder, D. G. Stephens, C. A. Stockwell, J. L. Stratford, M. C. Wire, David Wolf.

25. Who are the Triers of Appeals?

Benj. Young, Robt. Sutcliff, T. B. Ford, H. J. Van Fossen, Wm. R. Jeffrey, Jr.

Reserves: J. C. Rollins, A. C. Brackenbury.

26. What is the Statistical Report for this year?

See Statistical Tables.

27. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?

$31,265.

28. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?

$10,570.

29. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?

$6574 (see Report Conference Board of Stewards.)

30. What is the Amount of the Five Per Cent of Collections for the Conference Claimants' Connectional Fund paid by the Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants?

$145.

31. Where are the Preachers Stationed?

See list of appointments.

32. Where shall the Next Conference be held?

Eugene.

Journal

First Day.

Wednesday, September 18, 1912.

Opening—The Oregon Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church met for its 60th session in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Ashland, Oregon, September 18, 1912, at 9 a. m., Bishop R. J. Cooke, D. D., LL. D., presiding.

Hymns 560, 19, 393, 146 and 141 were sung. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by Bishop Cooke, assisted by the District Superintendents, and Hiram Gould and L. C. Poor.

Roll Call—C. C. Rarick, Secretary of the last Conference called the roll, and the following members and members on trial responded: J. T. Abbett, H. N. Aldrich, H. T. Atkinson, R. N. Avison, C. H. Baldwin, L. F. Belknap, A. C. Brackenbury, B. A. Bristol, W. R. F. Brown, A. B. Calder, Chan Sing Kai, F. S. Clemo, C. T. Cook, Chas. L. Creesy, C. L. Dark, S. H. Dewart, W. J. Douglass, T. H. Downs, R. E. Dunlap, J. F. Dunlop, E. O. Eldridge, W. M. Erskine, G. H. Feese, D. Lester Fields, A. N. Fisher, E. Gittins, W. S. Gordon, Hiram Gould, G. A. Gray, J. S. Green, C. L. Hamilton, Wm. H. Hampton, J. K. Hawkins, A. S. Hisey, Richard Hocking, G. F. Hopkins, Wm. R. Jeffrey, Jr., T. L. Jones, S. J. Kester, Joseph Knotts, H. W. Kuhlman, D. H. Leech, A. R. Maclean, C. O. McCulloch, J. W. McDougall, C. T. McPherson, James Moore, W. B. Moore, R. E. Myers, G. O. Oliver, M. B. Parounagian, W. B. Pepper, L. C. Poor, C. C. Rarick, G. F. Round, H. W. Rummell, H. I. Rutledge, F. N. Sandifur, L. F. Smith, J. C. Spencer, W. C. Stewart, E. H. Todd, Delmar H. Trimble, H. J. Van Fossen, D. A. Watters, W. J. Weber, H. S. Wilkinson, Melville T. Wire, Benjamin Young, J. L. Beatty, John Flinn, W. T. Kerr, S. E. Meminger, C. M. Rees, J. H. Skidmore, Sanford Snyder, M. C. Wire, Frank James, Fred M. Waehlte, E. M. Smith, Clarence B. Rees, R. S. Bishop, E. T. Luther, T. D. Yarnes.

Organization—The following Conference officers were elected: Secretary, C. C. Rarick; Assistants, R. E. Myers and Frank James.

Statistician, D. Lester Fields; Assistants, T. D. Yarnes, E. M. Smith, E. T. Luther, C. O. Heath, H. T. Green, C. B. Rees.

Treasurer, H. T. Atkinson; Assistants, F. N. Sandifur, G. O. Oliver, F. S. Clemo.

Conference Postmaster, Wm. H. Hampton.

Bar—On motion of C. L. Hamilton, the Bar of the Conference was fixed to include the first six rows of seats.

Standing Committees—On motion of R. E. Dunlap the list of Standing Committees as published in the last Conference Journal was confirmed.

Division of Funds—On motion of Benjamin Young, the interpretation of the Board of Foreign Missions and the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, concerning the action of the General Conference relating to the division of the Sunday School Missionary collection was adopted.

Rules of Order—On motion of J. W. McDougall the Rules of Order as printed in the Conference Journal of last year were made effective for this session of the Conference.

Vacancies on Temperance Committee—On motion of Wm. R. Jeffrey, Jr., R. N. Avison and J. F. Dunlop, were elected to fill the vacancies on the Committee on Temperance occasioned by the absence from the Conference of C. T. Wilson and Wm. H. Fry.

Excused—On motion of H. Gould, all members of the Board of Conference Relations and the Board of Stewards were excused from service on any other committees.

Leave of Absence—Wm. R. Jeffrey, Jr., at his own request was granted leave of absence from Thursday's session.

Board of Conference Relations—On motion of W. J. Douglass, Hiram Gould, J. J. Patton and W. C. Stewart, were re-elected members of the Board of Conference Relations; term to expire 1915, and W. R. F. Brown was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the absence of R. C. Blackwell.

Board of Stewards—On motion of T. L. Jones, L. F. Belknap, M. B. Parounagian and Joseph Knotts, were re-elected members of the Conference Board of Stewards; term to expire 1915.

Resolution—The following presented by D. H. Trimble, on his motion, was adopted: Whereas, His Excellency, Governor

Oswald West, of the State of Oregon, has asserted his prerogative in the insistence of the enforcement of law as it is now written in our State Statutes and Town and City Ordinances; and whereas he has been particularly active against the violators of the sovereign will of the people of Oregon as it is expressed in the laws against gambling, immorality and the liquor traffic, in the latter, paying especial attention to breweries, common carriers and vendors of liquor in dry territory, who would nullify our local option legislation; and whereas, the Governor has taken the position that the sub-officiary must take seriously the responsibility for law enforcement or vacate their offices,

Be it therefore resolved, that we, the Oregon Conference, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in session at Ashland, September 18th, 1912, hereby express our hearty approval of the Governor's efforts to enforce our laws, as they are now written, and pledge him our support, as ministers and citizens, in the enforcement of our present laws and any amendments or additions thereto, which shall enable the more adequate coping with the situation.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to Governor West, a copy be spread on our minutes, and a copy sent to the press of Oregon.

Signed,
D. H. Leech,
D. A. Watters,
Hiram Gould,
Delmar H. Trimble.

Methodist Review—On motion of Benjamin Young, J. F. Dunlop was appointed to solicit subscriptions for the Methodist Review.

Draft—The Bishop presented a draft for $250 from the Board of Conference Claimants. On motion of T. L. Jones it was transferred to the Conference Treasurer.

Question 1—"Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirements of the Discipline?" Yes.

Question 14—"Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?"

EUGENE DISTRICT.

J. T. Abbett, District Superintendent of the Eugene District was called. His character was passed. He read his report.

Introduction—Frank L. Hart, Field Superintendent of the

National Mutual Church Insurance Company, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

QUESTION 14 RESUMED—The list of effective elders in the Eugene District was called and their characters passed. The following present and in charge reported: G. F. Round, D. H. Leech, M. B. Parounagian, J. F. Dunlop, F. S. Clemo, H. S. Wilkinson, W. M. Erskine, F. N. Sandifur, B. A. Bristol, Joseph Knotts, L. F. Belknap, H. I. Rutledge, A. S. Hisey, Richard Hocking.

KLAMATH DISTRICT.

R. E. Dunlap, District Superintendent of the Klamath District was called and his character passed. He read his report.

The list of effective elders in the Klamath District was called and their characters passed. Those present and in charge reported: L. C. Poor, G. A. Gray, H. N. Aldrich, W. B. Pepper, W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., G. H. Feese, M. T. Wire, E. O. Eldridge, A. R. Maclean, H. W. Rummell.

PORTLAND DISTRICT.

J. W. McDougall, District Superintendent of the Portland District, was called, and his character passed. He read his report.

INTRODUCTIONS—J. J. Mickey, of the North West Kansas Conference, L. Jean, of the Nebraska Conference, T. B. Ford and J. S. Smith of the Columbia River Conference, and Robert H. Hughes, Editor of the Pacific Christian Advocate were introduced.

DRAFTS—R. H. Hughes presented drafts on the Book Concern and the Chartered Fund for $1976 and $30 respectively. On motion of T. L. Jones they were ordered paid.

CHANGE IN COMMITTEE—On motion of J. T. Abbett, R. S. Bishop was elected to succeed Joseph Knotts, excused, on Committee on Epworth League.

STATISTICAL SESSION—On motion of W. T. Kerr, a Statistical Session was called for 1:30 in the afternoon, and the Bishop appointed Benjamin Young to preside.

CLOSING—The session closed by expiration of time. Announcements were made, the Doxology was sung and John Flinn pronounced the benediction.

STATISTICAL SESSION.

The Statistical Session was called to order at 1:30 p. m.,

Benjamin Young presiding. Hymn No. 1, in the Methodist Hymnal, was sung and Frank James led in prayer. The roll of the Conference was called and the pastors present handed their reports to the Statistician and Treasurer.

CLOSING—On motion of D. L. Fields the session adjourned.

Second Day

MORNING SESSION.

Thursday, September 19, 1912.

OPENING—The Conference opened at 8:30 a. m., with devotional services led by Benjamin Young. Hymns 2 and 183 were sung, Fletcher Homan and J. W. McDougall, led in prayer and Dr. Young gave an exegetical study of the Book of Romans.

At 9 a. m. the Bishop took the chair.

MINUTES—The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

PORTLAND DISTRICT.

QUESTION 14 RESUMED—The list of effective elders in the Portland District was called and their characters passed. The following present and in charge reported: H. J. Van Fossen, C. L. Dark, Delmar H. Trimble, C. L. Hamilton, Chan Sing Kai, C. O. McCulloch, Benjamin Young, W. J. Douglass, C. C. Rarick, R. E. Myers, J. J. Patton, C. T. McPherson, J. K. Hawkins, C. T. Cook, W. H. Hampton, G. O. Oliver.

SALEM DISTRICT.

James Moore, Superintendent of the Salem District was called and his character was passed. He read his report.

The list of effective elders was called and their characters passed. The following, present and in charge reported: Edward Gittins, L. F. Smith, C. L. Creesy, S. H. Dewart, D. L. Fields, S. J. Kester, W. R. F. Brown, Hiram Gould, G. F. Hopkins, W. J. Weber, T. H. Downs, W. B. Moore, H. T. Atkinson, W. C. Reuter, A. B. Calder, R. N. Avison, A. C. Brackenbury, W. C. Stewart, J. C. Spencer, J. T. Moore, W. S. Gordon, H. W. Kuhlman, T. L. Jones.

James Moore spoke with reference to Brother Jones' request to be placed on the Retired List. In response to a call from the

Conference Brother Jones spoke, inspiring us all with the story of his forty-one years of heroic service in the Oregon Conference.

On motion of S. H. Dewart, A. N. Fisher was requested to prepare a resolution touching the retirement of Brother Jones, and expressing the appreciation of the Conference of him and his long and efficient service in the Conference.

Board of Stewards—At his own request T. L. Jones was excused from further service on the Board of Conference Stewards and Edward Gittins was elected to fill the vacancy.

Retired—On motion of Hiram Gould T. L. Jones' request to be placed on the retired list was granted.

Case Referred—On motion of J. T. Abbett, the case of G. F. Round, who asked to be placed on the Retired List, was referred to the Board of Conference Relations.

Resolution—On motion of James Moore the following resolution was adopted: "Resolved, that the Quarterly Conference of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Salem request the Annual Conference to authorize the appointment of a committee which shall have power to organize an Epworth League Institute within the bounds of the Oregon Conference.

The Committee was appointed as follows: Joseph Knotts, Frank James, A. R. Maclean, W. J. Weber, J. C. Spencer.

Detached Service—The names of the following elders in detached service were called and their characters passed: A. N. Fisher, G. L. Tufts, W. P. Drew, John Parsons, F. B. Short, F. V. Fisher, H. W. Schwartz, C. O. Beckman, C. M. VanMarter, Fletcher Homan, F. H. Todd, James Lisle, C. T. Wilson, C. H. Baldwin, R. C. Blackwell, D. A. Waters, W. B. Hollingshead.

C. M. Van Marter, Conference Evangelist, read his report.

Conference Evangelist—On motion of J. W. McDougall the Bishop was requested to reappoint C. M. Van Marter Conference Evangelist.

Question 2—The following transfers were announced: T. B. Ford and Chesley E. Curtis, from the Columbia River Conference, C. H. Bryan, from the Dakota Conference and J. J. Mickey, from the North West Kansas.

Chair—Fletcher Homan was called to the Chair.

Pacific Christian Advocate—R. H. Hughes, Editor of the Pacific Christian Advocate was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Introduction—M. J. Trenery, representing the Board of Sunday Schools was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Chair—The Bishop took the Chair.

Excused—The request of E. H. Todd to be excused from further attendance on the Conference was granted.

Minutes Fund—On motion of the Secretary it was ordered that the pastors pay twenty-five cents on each one hundred dollars cash salary received during the past year to defray the expense of publishing the Conference Journal.

Conference Finance Commission—On motion of G. F. Hopkins a Conference Finance Commission as suggested by paragraph 544 of the Discipline was appointed as follows: J. K. Hawkins, G. F. Hopkins, W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., D. H. Leech, R. A. Booth, T. S. McDaniel, D. T. Lawton, A. A. Lee.

To Reimburse—On motion of D. A. Watters, an offering was taken to reimburse H. Oberg. Conference Treasurer of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension for expenses amounting to $8.88 incurred in the discharge of the duties of his office.

Question 6—Who have been Continued on Trial? Robert S. Bishop, E. T. Luther, T. D. Yarnes, Harry G. McCain and Geo. W. Hall, were called and their characters passed. The Registrar reported on their studies; they were represented by their respective District Superintendents and on their motion Geo. W. Hall was continued on trial in the studies of the first year, R. S. Bishop, E. T. Luther and T. D. Yarnes, were continued on trial and advanced to the studies of the Second year, and Harry G. McCain was continued on trial in the studies of the Fourth year.

Discontinued—On motion of R. E. Dunlap, Chas. H. Johnston and Wayne S. Badley were discontinued.

Question 9—What members are in the Studies of the Third Year? A. A. Heist and E. M. Smith were called and their characters passed. The Registrar reported on their studies and, on motion of their District Superintendents, A. A. Heist was continued in the studies of the third year and E. M. Smith was advanced to the studies of the fouth year conditioned on History of Christian Doctrine.

Question 10—What Members are in the Studies of the Fourth Year? Fred M. Waehlte, Frank James and D. W. Moore, were called and their characters passed. On motion of their re-

spective District Superintendents, being favorable reported by the Registrar, they were graduated from the course of study and elected to elders orders.

Introduction—A. N. Fisher was introduced and addressed the Conference on Christian Stewardship.

Time Extended—On motion of D. H. Leech the time was extended.

Conference Claimants—G. F. Hopkins, representing the Board of Conference Claimants, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Introduction—W. E. Hutchinson, representing the Book Concern was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Books and Periodicals—On motion of H. W. Kuhlman, H. S. Wilkinson was elected a member of the Committee on Books and Periodicals to take the place of H. Oberg, excused.

Committee on Epworth League—On motion of Joseph Knotts, A. S. Hisey was elected a member of the Committee on Epworth League.

Closing—Announcements were made, the Doxology was sung and the Bishop pronounced the benediction.

Third Day

Morning Session.

Friday, September 20, 1912.

Opening—Conference opened at 8:30 a. m., with devotional services led by Benjamin Young. Hymns 1 and 19 were sung and W. J. Weber, W. L. Wilson, C. L. Hamilton and C. M. Van Marter led in prayer. Dr. Young continued the exegetical study of the Book of Romans.

At 9 a. m. the Bishop took the chair.

The Minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

Resolution—The following resolution by A. N. Fisher was adopted:

Whereas, the name of Thomas L. Jones has for more than four decades graced the rolls of the Oregon Conference, a synonym of ardent piety, evangelistic fervor, and faithful efficiency; and

Whereas, after these years of strenuous service, much of it in pioneer fields demanding heroic sacrifice, he now requests a place on the Retired List, therefore

Resolved, that in granting him this relation we express our appreciation of the work that under God he has been able to accomplish, and our wish that he may be long spared from heaven to bless us with the benediction of his presence in serene old age,

Resolved, that this minute be spread upon our journal and printed in the Pacific Christian Advocate.

Resolution—The following resolution by R. E. Dunlap was adopted:

Whereas, the American Bible Society is commended by our church as one of our regular benevolent societies,

Resolved, that a Bible Committee be appointed as one of the Standing Committees of this Conference, and that each of the District Superintendents appoint one man from his district to serve on such committee.

This committee was appointed as follows: H. S. Wilkinson, H. N. Aldrich, C. L. Dark, J. C. Spencer.

Conference Claimants Permanent Fund—T. L. Jones, Treasurer of the Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund, made his report and, on his motion it was adopted.

Resolution—On motion of Wm. R. Jeffrey, Jr., the following resolution was adopted: We, the Board of Stewards, recommend that enough of the collections from the pastoral charges be applied to the annuity fund to make $6.00 per annum for retired preachers, and $3.00 for the widows, for each year's service they have rendered.

Introduction—H. C. Jennings, representing the Book Concern, and the Freedman's Aid Society; Edward E. Shipley, Secretary of the Local Book Committee; H. B. Schwartz, representing the Board of Foreign Missions; and Edward Laird Mills, representing the Board of Education, were introduced and addressed the conference.

Executive Session—On motion of T. L. Jones the Conference went into executive session.

Question 5—Who have been Received on Trial? C. O. Heath, R. C. Young, J. W. Warrell and W. F. Powell, being properly recommended by their respective Quarterly Conferences, and, being favorably represented by the Registrar and the Board of Conference Relations, and having filed with the Secretary written answers to the questions set forth in paragraph 154,

section 1 of the Discipline, on motion of their respective District Superintendents, were received on trial and placed in the studies of the first year, W. F. Powell, being recommended for election to Deacon's orders under the Missionary Rule.

QUESTION 8—Who have been Admitted into Full Membership? C. B. Rees was called and his character passed. Being favorably represented by the Registrar and the Board of Conference Relations, and having filed with the Secretary written answers to the questions set forth in paragraph 154, section 1, of the Discipline, on motion of his District Superintendent, he was received into full membership and recommended for election to Deacon's Orders and advanced to the studies of the third year.

QUESTION 9 RESUMED—Who are in the Studies of the Third Year? On motion of James Moore, F. M. Jasper was continued in the studies of the third year.

TRANSFER—The transfer of Addis F. Lacy to the California Conference was announced.

LOCATION—T. J. Hazelton, on motion of R. E. Dunlap and W. F. Rogers, on motion of James Moore, were at their own request granted certificates of location.

CHANGE OF RELATION—H. Oberg, E. F. Zimmerman, W. B. Pepper and L. F. Belknap, at their own request, on motion of their respective District Superintendents and the recommendation of the Board of Conference Relations were granted a Supernumerary Relation, and on motion of J. T. Abbett, N. J. Harbet, was changed from Supernumerary to effective.

QUESTION 23—Who are the Supernumerary Preachers? J. L. Beatty, J. B. De Bord, E. C. Holladay, W. E. Ingalls, H. R. Sallisbury, C. W. Pogue, and G. J. Wentzell, were called and their characters passed. On motion of their respective District Superintendents they were continued in the Supernumerary relation.

CHANGE OF RELATION—G. F. Round, on motion of J. T. Abbett; and Asa Sleeth, on motion of J. W. McDougall, and on the recommendation of the Board of Conference Relations, at their own request were placed on the Retired List.

QUESTION 24—Who are the Retired Ministers? Robert Booth, C. M. Bryan, N. S. Buckner, F. H. Calder, Nelson Clark, C. E. Cline, L. G. Cochran, A. C. Fairchild, Joseph Hoberg, W. S. Holcomb, E. R. Horner, C. A. Lewis, W. H. Myers, C. M. Rees, N. M. Skipworth, Samuel Snyder, D. G. Stephens, C. A.

Stockwell, J. L. Stratford, David Wolf, John Flinn, W. J. Gardner, W. T. Kerr, S. E. Meminger, J. H. Skidmore, Sanford Snyder, M. C. Wire, were called and their characters passed. On motion of their respective District Superintendents they were continued on the Retired List. The last seven named were present and addressed the conference.

Transfer Requested—On motion of R. E. Dunlap the Columbir River Conference was requested to change A. S. Mulligan from Supernumerary to Effective with a view to his being transferred to the Oregon Conference. Also on motion of R. E. Dunlap, Prof. E. E. Sherwood was invited to transfer from the Ohio to the Oregon Conference.

Introduction—Senator R. A. Booth, representing the Layman's Association, was introduced and addressed the conference.

Recognition of Orders—The orders of E. D. Farnsworth, of the Congregational Church, on motion of Hiram Gould, were recognized and he was received as a Local Elder.

Introduction—D. S. Davis, of the Nebraska Conference, was introduced.

Memoir—On motion of Wm. R. Jeffrey, Jr., J. F. Dunlop, pastor of the late Mrs. J. L. Stratford, was requested to prepare a suitable memoir to be read at the opening of Saturday's session.

Temperance Committee—On motion of Wm. R. Jeffrey, Jr., who asked to be excused from service on the Temperance Committee, J. C. Rollins was elected to take his place.

Closing—Announcements were made, the Doxology was sung and the Bishop pronounced the benediction.

Fourth Day

Morning Session.

September 21, 1912.

Opening—Conference opened at 8:30 a. m. with devotional services led by Benjamin Young. Hymns 16, 279 and 193 were sung and G. O. Oliver, R. E. Myers, J. W. McDougall and G. A. Gray led in prayer. William R. Jeffrey, Jr., chairman of the Committee on Memoirs, spoke of the death of Mrs. J. L. Stratford and introduced T. L. Jones, formerly Brother Stratford's Presiding Elder, who spoke of the faithful service of this min-

ister and his wife. J. F. Dunlop, their pastor, then read the memoir of Mrs. Stratford as follows:

"Emma Brenton was born in Clark County, Indiana, March 4, 1855, and died of paralysis at her home in Creswell, Oregon, March 3, 1912. She came to Kansas in 1869, where she was married to Rev. J. L. Stratford, June 3, 1875. To this union was born six children, two boys and four girls. One son, aged 18 years, died some time ago. Those still surviving her are her husband, Rev. J. L. Stratford, Mrs. Henry Stewart, Eugene, Oregon; Mrs. James Clark, of Yoncalla, Oregon; Bertha, Ethel and Walter, who reside at Creswell. The funeral services were held at the Creswell Methodist Episcopal Church Tuesday, the 5th of March, at 2:30. The sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. J. F. Dunlop. A very large concourse of people were present, interment taking place at the Creswell cemetery. Sister Stratford is the wife of one of our pioneer ministers, who is now a retired minister of the Oregon Conference. For thirty-seven years, happy and uncomplaining she served with him, being a true helper in the life of an itinerant Methodist minister. They began their work in Kansas, but the greater part of their service has been in Oregon, where they have served many charges in the Willamette Valley very acceptably. Nearly the entire life of Sister Stratford has been spent in the Church and in Christian work. Although she looked well to needs of her own household, yet her life was characterized by the altruistic spirit. She lived for others, carried the burdens of others. So much so that she has gained the respect and love of the people of every charge which they have served. Many of the old parishioners and friends extend their sympathy to the bereaved husband and family."

Hymn 604 was sung and Dr. Young continued the exegetical study of the Book of Romans. Hymn 315 was sung and C. O. McCulloch led in prayer, the Conference joining with him in repeating the Lord's Prayer.

At 9:15 the Bishop took the chair.

Conference Trustee—On motion of T. L. Jones, Hiram Gould was elected Conference Trustee for the three-year term.

Trustee Conperence Claimants Permanent Fund—On motion of T. L. Jones Hiram Gould was elected Trustee of the Conference Claimants Permanent Fund for the three year term.

Transper Announced—The Bishop announced the transfer of C. H. Lawrence from the California Conference.

Memoir to be Printed—On motion of T. L. Jones it was

ordered that the Memoir of Mrs. J. L. Stratford be printed in the Conference Minutes.

Change of Relation—C. H. Baldwin, at his own request, being favorably represented by the Board of Conference Relations, on motion of J. T. Abbett, was changed from the effective to the supernumerary relation.

Triers of Appeals—On motion of R. E. Dunlap the following named persons were elected Triers of Appeals: Benjamin Young, Robert Sutcliff, T. B. Ford, H. J. Van Fossen and Wm. R. Jeffrey, Jr. Reserves: J. C. Rollins and A. C. Brackenbury.

Statistics—On motion of R. E. Dunlap it was ordered that in the case of the Klamath District the Statistician read the totals, to show loss and gain because of the elimination of charges in California from the District. The Statistician read the Statistics by totals.

Joint Session—On motion of Fletcher Homan a committee was appointed to invite the Layman's Association to meet with the Conference in Joint Session at eleven o'clock this morning. The Bishop appointed as this committee, Fletcher Homan, Hiram Gould, W. T. Kerr.

Treasurer's Report—The Conference Treasurer read the totals for benevolences by districts.

Resolution—On motion of R. E. Dunlap the following resolution was adopted: Resolved that $556, or half of last year's increase of offerings for Home Missions and Church Extension be requested as additional appropriation to the Oregon Conference, the same to be appropriated as an immediately available fund to be distributed by the District Superintendents in harmony with the resolution of the General Committee of Home Missions and Church Extension.

Conference Claimant's Fund—On motion of T. L. Jones it was ordered that the $500 from the Laymen's Association and the collection to be taken Sunday be added to the report for the support of Conference Claimants.

Report—H. S. Wilkinson read the report of the Committee on the American Bible Society and on his motion it was adopted. A. Wesley Mell, representing the American Bible Society was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Resolution—On motion of C. O. McCulloch the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, Great interest is now manifest in the Pacific Coast, an interest magnified and intensified above that which is usual because of the approaching completion of the Panama Canal, which completed work through the vast numbers of people which will be thereby brought undoubtedly to these shores, will put upon Methodism here a responsibility it will be utterly unable adequately to meet alone and without the very generous and prompt cooperation of the various Benevolent Boards of the Church; and

Whereas, There has come, and there is now, upon the Clinton Kelly Memorial Church, Portland, Oregon, an emergency arising from peculiar conditions in this case and apparently in the singular inability of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension to appreciate or understand these conditions, and because this is only one of many such cases calling for a specially generous consideration at the hands of the Board of Nome Missions and Church Extension. It has sometimes seemed as if it were difficult to get assistance for our struggling, needy churches, which, if really true, would be subversive of the very purpose for which the Board of Church Extension was brought into existence, therefore

Be It Resolved, First, that we memoralize the various Benevolent Boards of the Church, or committees governing those Boards, to make careful inquiry as to what changes, if any, are necessary in the rules of administration of these great trusts, where those rules appear to lack in comprehensiveness, flexibility and adaptability to meet new and grave conditions, and will by the revision which may be found necessary in those rules to enable the Church to meet the responsibility which providential opportunity lays upon her in this hour most critical and big with destiny.

Second—That we commend the case of the Clinton Kelly Memorial Church, and all cases of similar character to careful re-opening, and to the review and favorable action to which the present distress entitles them, at the next meeting of the General Committee of Home Missions and Church Extension.

Third:That we most earnestly request our resident Bishop, R. J. Cooke, and the representatives from the Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth General Conference Districts to present these resolutions, and the reasons therefor to the next meeting of the respective General Committees for their favorable and immediate action.

Order of the Day—Senator R. A. Booth, president of the Laymen's Association was invited to the platform, and T. S. McDaniel, Secretary of the Association gave a report of the Association for the past year, and on behalf of the Association

presented to the Conference a warrant for $500 each to the Conference Claimants Fund and the Willamette University. R. A. Booth addressed the Conference and Bishop Cooke responded.

Time Extended—On motion of C. L. Hamilton the time was extended.

Admission Into Full Membership—C. B. Rees, recommened for election to Deacon's Orders was called and addressed by the Bishop. He answered the Disciplinary questions and by vote of the Conference was elected to full membership.

Afternoon Session—On Motion of H. S. Wilkinson an afternoon session was called for two o'clock.

Closing—Announcements were made, the Doxology was sung, and C. M. Boswell prouonnced the benediction.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Opening—Conference opened at 2 p. m. with the Bishop in the chair. Hymn 315 was sung and W. H. Fry led in prayer.

Question 32—Where shall the next Conference be held? H. S. Wilkinson, representing the Eugene Quarterly Conference placed Eugene in nomination. Eugene was chosen by unanimous vote.

Conference Boards—R. E. Dunlap, secretary of the Cabinet read the list of nominations for the Conference Boards and on his motion they were confirmed.

Reports—H. S. Wilkinson read the report of the Committee on Education and on his motion it was adopted. Fletcher Homan and H. D. Kimball addressed the conference and Fletcher Homan read the list of special gifts for current expenses for Willamette University.

Expression of Thanks—On motion of D. A. Watters, the secretary was instructed to express the thanks and appreciation of the conference to Mr. Severson for his gift to Willamette University.

Resolution—On motion of R. E. Dunlap the following resolution was adopted: Resolved that the Oregon Conference raise and empower a Committee to act with like committees of other conferences that overpaid to the Episcopal Fund during 1908-11, for the purpose of securing from the delinquent Conferences such equitable advance in their payments and such

Disciplinary prorating of deficiencies, as will make the apportionment of the Church more equitable.

Resolved further: That this action, and the name and address of the Chairman of the committee so appointed, be communicated to W. F. Steele, University Park, Colorado.

Committee Reports—The following reports were read and adopted: Sanctity of the Sabbath, W. S. Gordon; Chinese Work, G. F. Hopkins; Conference Claimants, W. H. Hampton; Deaconess Work, W. H. Fry; Temperance, J. C. Rollins; Children's Ray, R. S. Bishop; Auditing Committee, W. B. Moore; Epworth League, H. W. Rummell; Aggressive Evangelism, A. S. Hisey; Freedman's Aid Society, J. C. Spencer; Indian Missions, H. I. Rutledge; Books and Periodicals, H. W. Kuhlman.

Resolution—On motion of R. N. Avison the following resolution was adopted: In as much as the work of the Methodist Old People's Home of Salem, Oregon, under management of the Woman's Home Missionary Society, is in keeping with the spirit of Christianity and in harmony with the purposes of Methodism, we, the ministers of the Oregon Conference, pleadge to these grand women our hearty co-operation, in a welcome to our pulpits, the courtesy of an offering, and an honest endeavor to interest our people in this worthy institution.

Introduction—H. S. Sheldon, Superintendent of the Oregon Anti-Saloon League, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Odd Moneys—On motion of H. T. Atkinson it was ordered that the odd moneys reported by the preachers for benevolences, amounting to $8.00 be appropriated for the Conference Claimant's Permanent Fund.

Commission on Finance—J. K. Hawkins read the following report of the Committee on Commission on Finance, and on his motion it was adopted:

Your Committee on Commission on Finance beg leave to report:

First, That, in keeping with the action of the General Conference relative to a Commission on Finance, as described in paragraph 544, Sections 6 and 7 of the Discipline, we recommend the appointment of an Annual Conference Commission, to consist of four members, one from each District.

Second, That said Annual Conference Commission inform the District Superintendents and pastors of the Conference what

benevolent causes are recommended to be admitted to the pulpits of our churches for presentation and financial appeal.

THIRD, That said Commission report to each Annual Conference, and as far as possible and practicable give instruction to pastors for their direction in the work of the ensuing year.

FOURTH, We also recommend that at each session of the Conference, such a Commission be coninued, either by election, filling of vacancies, or by appointment.

Respectfully submitted,

J. K. HAWKINS,
GEO. F. HOPKINS,
D. H. LEECH,
WM. R. JEFFREY, JR.

The Finance Commission was elected as follows: J. K. Hawkins, G. F. Hopkins, W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., D. H. Leech.

INTRODUCTIONS—C. M. Boswell, representing the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, and Carl Warner, representing the Epworth League, were introduced and each addressed the Conference.

SOCIAL SERVICE COMMISSION—On motion of Benjamin Young, a Social Service Commission was elected as follows: C. O. McCulloch, R. N. Avison, W. J. Douglass.

CLOSING—The Conference closed by expiration of time and the benediction was pronounced by J. W. McDougall.

Fifth Day

SUNDAY SERVICES.

September 22, 1912.

OPENING—Conference opened at 9:30 a. m., with a Love Feast led by T. L. Jones. Hymns 1, 547, 548 were sung and T. L. Jones led in prayer. The Scripture lesson was 1 Thess. 5:12-25. Hymn 354 was sung and the testimony service followed, many participating. D. H. Leech presented the cause of Conference Claimants and an offering amounting to $296 was taken. Following this service hymn 310 was sung, the Apostle's Creed was recited, and C. M. Boswell led in prayer. The Responsive Service was the Twelfth Sunday morning lesson. The Bishop read for a lesson a part of Revelation two and three. Hymn 530 was sung, and the Bishop preached the sermon from the text: Rev. 2:13. Hymn 355 was sung and J. W. McDougall pronounced the benediction.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

OPENING—Conference opened at 3:00 p. m. with devotions

led by Benjamin Young. Hymns 330 and 332 were sung and R. N. Avison led in prayer.

BAPTISMAL SERVICE—The Bishop baptised Clarence Alexander, the infant son of Rev. and Mrs. L. C. Poor.

ORDINATION SERVICE—The Bishop ordained C. B. Rees as a Deacon, and, assisted by the District Superintendents and John Flinn, M. C. Wire, T. L. Jones, and S. E. Meminger, he ordained Fred M. Waehlte and Frank James as elders.

The Bishop presented the following:

CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION.

This is to Certify, That on the 22nd day of September, 1912, *at Ashland, Oregon, I ordained as Deacon, Clarence B. Rees.*

And, also, that on the same day and at the same place, assisted by several Elders, I ordained as Elder, Fred M. Waehlte and Frank James, all under authority of election by the Oregon Annual Conference.

R. J. COOKE, Bishop.

Hymn 393 was sung and the Conference continued in session and took up the following items of business:

MISSIONARY APPROPRIATIONS—R. E. Dunlap, Secretary of the Cabinet, read the list of Missionary Appropriations and on his motion it was approved. He also read the list of Askings from the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, and on his motion it was approved.

TRANSFERS—The Bishop announced the following transfers: Walton Skipworth from the Columbia River Conference to the Oregon Conference, J. M. Brown from the Idaho Conference to the Oregon Conference and W. C. Reuter from the Oregon Conference to the Columbia River Conference.

NOMINATIONS—The following list of nominations were read by R. E. Dunlap and on his motion they were confirmed: For the Board of Examiners, L. C. Poor, G. F. Hopkins, and C. O. McCulloch; Equalizing Apportionments for Episcopal Fund, D. H. Leech, H. N. Aldrich, A. C. Brackenbury, E. H. Todd; Commission on Aggressive Evangelism, Wm. R. Jeffrey, Jr., W. S. Gordon, C. H. Lawrence, C. M. Van Marter.

MISSIONARY SERMON—The Bishop appointed R. N. Avison to preach the Missionary Sermon at the next session of the Conference; Alternate, Robert Sutcliffe.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE BOARD OF STEWARDS—D. H. Leech read the report of the Conference Board of Stewards and on motion of J. W. McDougall it was adopted.

CHECKS FOR CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS—On motion of Ben-

jamin Young it was ordered that the checks for Conference Claimants be distributed in open conference.

Offering Taken—On motion of J. C. Rollins an offering was taken for N. M. Skipworth. The offering amounted to $25.50.

Railroad Secretary—On motion of Hiram Gould, W. B. Moore was elected Railroad Secretary.

Evening Session—On motion of R. E. Dunlap an evening session was called immediately following the address of C. M. Boswell.

Closing—Announcements were made, the Doxology was sung and the Bishop pronounced the benediction.

EVENING SESSION.

Change of Relation—On motion of J. W. McDougall the rules were suspended and C. W. Pogue was changed from the Supernumerary to the effective relation.

Money for the Conference Claimants' Fund—On motion of Delmar H. Trimple it was ordered that any money that may yet come in from the subscriptions made in the morning service be turned into the Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund.

Report—E. O. Eldridge read the report of the Committee on Resolutions and on his motion it was adopted.

Adjournment—On motion of J. T. Abbett it was ordered that after such remarks as the Bishop may choose to make and the reading of the appointments, the Conference stand adjourned *sine die*.

Closing—The Bishop read the appointments and pronounced the benediction.

R. J. COOKE,
Presiding Bishop.

C. C. Rarick, Secretary.

Reports

AGGRESSIVE EVANGELISM.

With praises to Almighty God for the revival fires which have burned brightly within the bounds of our conference and for the large number of souls that have been saved and added to the Church during the past year, your Committee on Aggressive Evangelism respectfully submits the following report: We rejoice that a trumpet call to soul saving effort throughout our connection was sounded by the last General Conference, and that our beloved Bishop Cooke has emphasized the fact that the saving of men is the essential business of the Church. In keeping with the suggestions of the General Conference Commission on Aggressive Evangelism, of which our own Dr. Benjamin Young, of Portland, is the Fifteenth General Conference District Representative, we recommend:

First: That an Annual Conference Commission consisting of one preacher from each District be nominated by the District Superintendents and elected by the Conference, said Commission to have full power to formulate and execute plans for evangelistic effort in keeping with the plans of the General Confrence Commission.

Second: That this Commission co-operate with the Committee on Conference Program in arranging for evangelistic meetings, and a school for training in evangelistic methods at our next Annual Conference. We desire to record our appreciation of the afternoon meetings held this year under the able direction of our Conference Evangelist, C. M. Van Marter, in which we have been graciously blessed and inspired to deeper devotion to Jesus Christ. Respectfully submitted,

J. K. Hawkins,
M. T. Wire,
L. F. Smith,
Albert S. Hisey.

REPORT OF THE AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

The American Bible Society has a historic relation to our Church, as it acts for the Church in the fundamental work of the translation, revision, publication and circulation of the Scriptures. All home and foreign missionary work is under profound obliga-

tion to this missionary agency. Withuot it their own resources would be inadequate for their tasks. The work of Christian missions simply could not be carried on without an Agency of this kind.

TRANSLATIONS.

Three new languages appear this year on our list of printed Scriptures: First, the Navajo; second, the Kurdish, and third, the Shulla. It is the first time that the Shulla language has been written and the Roman alphabet has been adapted for the purpose by missionaries in the Soudan.

REVISIONS.

Akin to the translation of the Scriptures is the revision of existing Scriptures. This is continually going on through the American Bible Society's agencies in different parts of the world, as languages of nations and tribes change in their rise above illiteracy.

A revised Spanish version of the four Gospels has been issued. A revision of the Portuguese version is also being carried on. The revision of the Siamese Bible is also making progress at Bangkok. In China two carefully chosen committees are carrying through the revision of the Mandarin and Wenli version. In Japan a Committee has been appointed to undertake the revision of the Japanese version and has begun work. In Natal, South Africa, the revision of the Zulu Scriptures is being carried forward; the Bible Society meeting the expense.

Besides these revisions, translations in languages in which parts of the Bible have been printed already, are being carried to completion, as for instance, the Quechua version used by Indians in Peru and Bolivia. The Korean version has been completed, and this year, for the first time, the people of Korea have the whole Bible in their language. The Sheetswa Old Testament has also been completed, and the first consignment of the whole Bible has been shipped from the Bible House to Portuguese East Africa for the Methodist Episcopal missionaries in Portuguese East Africa. In the Philippines work has been going forward on the Panayan Old Testament, the Cebuan Old Testament, the Pangasinan Old Testament and the Gospels in Ibanag.

The Tercentenary of the completion of the English Bible has been celebrated throughout the United States, Great Britain, and all lands where the English language is spoken. King George, President Taft, Woodrow Wilson, William Jennings Bryan and Theodore Roosevelt all actively participated in these celebrations,

which were the occasion for summing up the fruits of the general circulation of the Bible among the common people.

We are justified in expecting similar results in non-Christian lands. The completion of a version of the whole Bible in any laguage is not heralded abroad; its translators are not honored by titles or decorations; the Bible Society that has adequately published it is not remembered. Yet it may rightly be affirmed that the day on which a translation of the whole Bible is completed in any language is an epoch in history. An African expressed a pregnant truth when, on seeing the complete Bible in Sheetswa, he said, "Now we are a Nation!" And of China it is said the revolution began with Robert Morrison and his Bible translation.

DISTRIBUTION.

The total issues at home and abroad for the year amount to 3,691,201 volumes. One-half of these were issued from the Bible House in New York, and the other half by the Society's agencies abroad, in Turkey, Syria, Siam, China and Japan.

The work of distribution has been carried on by an army of 1,025 Bible missionaries. The work on the Pacific Coast has increased to the sale and distribution of 60,489 volumes in 55 different languages; 135 Sunday Schools supplied with Scriptures 75 jails and institutions, and the supplying by its regular colporteurs of over 9,500 families and individuals who were without Scriptures. Grants were made by the Society only when the cost price could not be met.

Assistance was given to struggling churches, City Rescue missions, missionary societies, Seamen's Institutes, Salvation Armies, various city missionary workers, Indian reservations, Reform schools, hospitals, orphanages, immigrants, prisons, lumber camps, mines, to the blind and to individuals needy and destitute.

We commend this world work of the Society, and recommend that our Conference seek to do its full share in raising the apportionment adopted by our General Conference.

H. S. Wilkinson,
Chairman.

AUDITING COMMITTEE.

We have carefully examined and audited the accounts of Conference Secretary C. C. Rarick, Home Missions and Church Extension, Harold Oberg, and the receipts and disbursements of

the District Superintendent of Chinese Missions, J. W. McDougal, and find them neatly kept and correct.

W. Boyd Moore,
H. W. Rummell,
E. S. Mace.

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

We note with great pleasure and satisfaction the steady growth of power and influence of the Methodist Book Concern, and the manifest favor with which its various publications are received by the people.

The reduction of the price of the Pacific Christian Advocate to one dollar per year will meet with favor, and we hope that this will prove a further means to the bringing of this paper into every Methodist home. It is hoped that the subscription list can be advanced to 12,000 during the coming year. We urge every pastor to strive for this coveted goal, and we pledge ourselves to endeavor to secure 1200 new subscribers during the next conference year.

We strongly recommend that the pastors patronize our Book Concern exclusively for both Sunday School helps and all other books and literature.

We finally recommend that every pastor subscribe for the Methodist Review.

Respectfully submitted,

H. S. Wilkinson,
H. W. Kuhlman,
H. N. Aldrich.

CHILDREN'S DAY.

The Committee on Children's Day is gratified to note that each year there has been at least some interest taken in this matter. We are not in a position to know just what interest is being taken in this institution. We note that last year there was less than five hundred dollars raised for this purpose. We trust that each pastor realizes that the purpose of the Children's Day collection is to assist worthy and needy young men and women who are struggling in our schools and colleges for an education. We all believe that money thus spent is a most commendable investment. Therefore, this committee recommends that the pastors and Sunday School Superintendents see that the second Sunday in June be observed as Children's Day, and

that a thorough explanation is made concerning the purpose and need of the offering.

R. S. Bishop,
Ernest M. Smith,
C. T. Cook,
G. A. Gray.

CHINESE WORK.

The report of the Rev. Chan Sing Kai, missionary in charge at Portland, shows the work done during the year.

The recent revolution in China causing the overthrow of the Imperial Government and the establishing of the Republic, has caused many Chinese to return to China. This has militated against our work somewhat. Yet there are forty-seven full members and probationers, with ten officers and teachers in the Sunday School and twenty-eight scholars.

The new Republic we hail with pleasure, being confident that it means providential opening for great and enduring Christian work in China. We also feel sure that it places added responsibilities on Christian America to quickly evangelize the Chinese now resident in the United States.

The financial statement follows:

General Benevolences	$ 65.00
Independent Mission in China	58.00
Sunday School expenses	67.00
District Superintendent's salary	12.00
From Woman's Society Mission members for Charity	96.00
Entertainments and receptions	41.00
Pastor's Salary	60.00
Total	$399.00

These amounts are over and above the apportionments from the Foreign Missionary Society.

We recommend that $1200 be asked from the Missionary Society for the next year's work. We request the missionary in charge to urge all members of this mission and those attending either the services or the school, to give as liberally as possible to the direct support of this work. We request the missionary to use every means possible for the advancement and enlargement of this work.

W. M. Erskine,
Geo. F. Hopkins,
C. O. McCulloch.

CONSOLIDATION OF CHINESE WORK.

To the Oregon Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church:

Your Committee on the Consolidation of Chinese Work in the City of Portland, beg leave to make the following report:

A meeting of the representatives of the Protestant Episcopal churches was called together in the Y. M. C. A. on May 10th, 1911, for the purpose of discussing the Chinese mission work now being conducted in the City of Portland by different denominations. J. W. McDougall was elected chairman of the meeting, and C. N. Wonacott, secretary. Representatives from the Methodist Episcopal, Baptist, Christian and Presbyterian churches were present.

The chairman stated the object of the meeting was to consider the conducting of religious work for Chinese of Portland more economically and efficiently, by closer co-operation of the denominations than heretofore had been carried on.

The following resolution was adopted:

"RESOLVED, That we who are present will endeavor, if the way be clear, to enter into a co-operative work among Chinese, if all denominations now working among them, and all who shall hereafter undertake work among them in this city, shall use it as their sole agency for such work."

In as much as the United Brethren and Episcopal were the only two other denominations known by those present to be conducting Chinese missions, the secretary was instructed to communicate to them the minutes of the meeting, and asked their members on this committee to represent them.

At a later meeting at the same place on June 28th, 1911, all the denominations were represented but the United Brethren.

Sub-committees were appointed to look into the matter of the Chinese co-operation reported at the former meeting, with a special reference to the educational work. It was thought by the committee that the educational work could be best carried on through the Y. M. C. A., therefore Mr. French, the educational director and Mr. Stone, the general secretary, were made members of the committee for the making of plans, and the working out of the report as adopted.

After the adjournment of the last annual Conference, your committee met again with the representatives of above mentioned churches, to further consider Chinese work.

On October 3rd the report of the educational director of the Y. M. C. A. was presented, giving a full comprehensive and detailed statement as to location of missions, party in charge, teach-

ers, pupils, the hours and system of the schools, these were discussed, and conclusions arrived at as follows:

It was the sense of the meeting that the Chinese work of the city should be made one, both in work and numbers, and in that the committee felt like trying again to bring up the force that would make possible a unionized Christian work for the Chinese of the City of Portland. It was stated that Bishop Barclay of the United Brethren Church could not see his way clear at this time to enter a union, but inasmuch as such a movement was so urgent, the motion was made and carried that the chairman, together with two other members of the committee act as a special committee and interview Bishop Barclay, seeking his co-operation in making possible the union Christian work.

On the 15th day of October the committee interviewed Bishop Barclay for the purpose of seeking his co-operation in uniting the Chinese Mission work of Portland.

The matter was talked over pro and con with Bishop Barclay, who persistently refused to have anything to do with the movement. It was explained to the Bishop that it was through united efforts that other denominations would enter into this effort to unite the Chinese work, but the Bishop stated that there were certain things contained in other denominations which his denomination did not countenance, and he would not use his offices to unite the work.

It was stated to the Bishop that it was with profound regret on the part of the special committee that he could not see his way clear to unite in this work, which we felt would mean much to the lives of the Chinese of Portland.

The failure in this effort to unite the work was communicated to different men of the general committee. Inasmuch as unionizing of the work depended upon all the denominations uniting, and inasmuch as Bishop Barclay representing the United Brethren Church, did not feel at liberty to unite, the Chairman stated that for the present there was no need for calling a special committee meeting.

Committee
J. W. McDougall,
Benjamin Young.

CONFERENCE STEWARDS REPORT.

We, the Conference Stewards, submit the following report.

We have 34 Claimants, 25 Superanuates and 9 widows. Their claims aggregate $10,570, being $2,165 more than last year.

To meet these claims we have received from

Book Concern	$1976.00	Increase, $375.00
Chartered Fund	30.00	
Interest on Permanent Fund	613.00	Increase, 33.00
Pastoral Charges	2759.00	Increase, 273.00
Laymen's Association	500.00	
Woman's Home Missionary Society	50.00	
Connectional Fund	350.00	
Conference Sunday Collection	296.00	
Total	$6574.00	

Annuity Fund—

Book Concern	$1976.00
Chartered Fund	30.00
Churches	1893.00
Interest on P. F.	613.00

Special Fund—

Woman's Home Missionary Society	$ 50.00
Connectional Fund	350.00
Laymen's Association	500.00
Conference Sunday Collection	296.00
Churches	866.00

We recommend the following distribution:

Beneficiary.	*Years Service.*	*Annuity Claim.*	*Annuity Paid.*	*Special Paid.*	*Total.*
Joseph Hoberg	10	$100.00	$ 60.00	$160.00	$220.00
Robert Booth	21	210.00	126.00	124.00	250.00
W. J. Gardiner	19	190.00	114.00	76.00	190.00
E. R. Horner	14	140.00	84.00	.....	84.00
David Wolfe	14	140.00	84.00	.....	84.00
John Flinn	50	500.00	300.00	.....	300.00
N. M. Skipworth	9	90.00	54.00	121.00	175.00
F. H. Calder	14	140.00	84.00	.....	84.00
W. H. Myers	19	190.00	114.00	31.00	145.00
W. S. Holcomb	19	190.00	114.00	111.00	225.00
Samuel Snyder	24	240.00	144.00	.....	144.00
S. E. Meminger	26	260.00	156.00	104.00	260.00
J. H. Skidmore	37	370.00	222.00	128.00	350.00
C. A. Stockwell	32	320.00	192.00	.....	192.00
C. M. Bryan	32	320.00	192.00	98.00	290.00
C. A. Lewis	30	300.00	180.00	10.00	190.00
C. E. Cline	38	380.00	228.00	.....	228.00
J. L. Stratford	21	210.00	126.00	124.00	250.00
Sanford Snyder	34	340.00	204.00	.....	204.00
W. T. Kerr	30	300.00	180.00	20.00	200.00
M. C. Wire	33	330.00	198.00	52.00	250.00
N. S. Buckner	27	270.00	162.00	.....	162.00
G. F. Round	23	230.00	138.00	137.00	275.00
T. L. Jones	35	350.00	210.00	190.00	400.00
Asa Sleeth	38	380.00	228.00	.....	228.00
Mrs. John McIntire	10	50.00	30.00	70.00	100.00
Mrs. N. Doane	50	250.00	150.00	85.00	235.00
Mrs. C. Alderson	34	170.00	102.00	148.00	250.00
Mrs. R. M. Corner	14	70.00	42.00	.....	42.00

Mrs. D. L. Spaulding	5	25.00	15.00	85.00	100.00
Mrs. D. McLachlin	34	170.00	102.00	.....	102.00
Mrs. J. T. Wolfe	22	110.00	66.00	59.00	125.00
Mrs. J. H. B. Royal	7	35.00	21.00	129.00	150.00
Mrs. I. D. Driver	30	150.00	90.00	.....	90.00

Respectfully submitted,

D. H. Leech, Chairman.
Wm. Riley Jeffrey, Jr., Secy.
Chas. L. Creesy,
Joseph Knotts,
M. B. Parounagian,
L. F. Belknap,
C. L. Hamilton,
H. W. Kuhlman,
E. Gittens.

CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS' PERMANENT FUND.

Reported at Conference last year		$10,424.66
Received October 18, 1911, Peter Brandt Estate	$300.00	
Received November 1 from Conference Treasurer	19.00	
Total receipts		$ 319.00
Grand total of Permanent Fund		$10,743.66
Interest collected and paid to Conference Treasurer		613.00

T. L. Jones,
Treasurer, Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund.

September 20, 1912.

The Conference Deaconess Board presents the following report for the year ending September 14, 1912:

The Deaconesses are comfortably situated in a ten-room house at 762 East Pine street, Portland, Oregon.

The receipts for the past year were	$2070.62
The disbursements	1877.25
Balance	$ 193.37

Miss Mary J. Hepburn, Superintendent, presented the following report:

Total number of calls	7682
Number of letters written	1187
Literature distributed	1724
Bibles distributed	78
Persons given relief	604
Garments distributed	1024
Bedding	29
Baskets of food	54
Money	$653.37
Medical aid	15
Situations secured	49
Persons nursed	28
Hours in Club Meeting	247
Hours spent in nursing	189
Office hours	249
Meetings conducted	166
Business meetings attended	343

Hospital, mothers' meetings, etc.	44
Addressed on Deaconess work	50
Enrolled on Cradle Roll	102
Bouquets given	217

The Deaconess Board renewed the licenses of the following Deaconesses and submit them to you for your approval: Miss Susan Kuter, Miss Sadie Smith, Miss Ella Lois Swift, Miss L. Manzella Fullmer, Miss Hildur Gustafson, Miss Jane Chaffee, Miss Florence E. Twidwell and Miss Mary Hepburn.

Miss Jane Chaffee was transferred to the Montana Conference and Miss Jennie Gassar was transferred in from the Puget Sound Conference.

The Board begs to recommend the following persons to be elected for the three years' term ending 1916: Miss Maude Kenworthy, Benj. Young and Wm. J. Douglass.

Members of the Conference employing Deaconesses should be carefully governed by the provisions of the discipline.

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. McDougall,
President.

Mrs. F. B. Holbrook,
Secretary.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

Your Committee on Education wishes to emphasize more than ever the value of our church schools in the development of Christian character and Christian workers. At the formative period of college days it is vitally important that students come in contact with teachers whose influence is positive for Christ and the church. We deplore the fact that the boasted academic freedom of the secular schools so frequently resolves itself into a freedom to attack, or to neglect, the important things of religion, as we deplore the prevalence of social ideals which prove an embarrassment and a detriment to young people from Christian homes.

We congratulate you that at Willamette University the social life is of wholesome Christian type and that the students come immediately in contact with teachers whose personal character and Christian ideals are of the highest. "Mark Hopkins at one end of a log" is still representative of the superlative degree of scholastic privilege; and better than all endowments are the men and women who give of the wealth of their own souls to the students who daily sit at their feet.

We rejoice that Willamette University has had a prosperous

year. The College of Liberal Arts has had an increase of 45 per cent in the number of students enrolled and the Academy an increase of 25 per cent. The prospects for the coming year indicate an attendance larger than ever. The Ladies' Hall has been enlarged to give increased accommodation and has all been spoken for even though school has not yet opened. The campus has been greatly improved and beautified. We are proud of its beauty and its strategic location.

The campaign for endowment has been carried on with energy. Since last Conference almost $200,000 has been added to the total amount. The president, vice-president, and trustees, have been giving themselves with enthusiasm and success to this colossal undertaking and are feeling the exhilaration of victory. We urge upon our people the claims of this great enterprise. We believe the campaign for funds should be pressed forward during these closing months of 1912 until the full amount shall be raised and enough more to provide a noble Memorial Building for the pioneers who, amid sacrifice and heroism, laid the foundation of Methodism in the Northwest. We pledge our full co-operation by personal work and by opening our churches in order that the plans for the campaign may be speedily and thoroughly successful. We recommend also the apportionment to our charges of 25 cents per member for the current expense fund of the University—20 per cent of which shall go to the support of Kimball School of Theology.

Kimball School of Theology has had another good year and is making substantial growth. Its library has received additions this year and now numbers upwards of 3000 volumes.

Perhaps few yet realize the importance of a school of theology located as is Kimball. The nearest theological school to the south is the Presbyterian at San Anselmo, near San Francisco. On the east is none nearer than Denver. To the north we believe the field is entirely unoccupied. To serve the needs of this vast area Kimball School of Theology was founded. It ought to have an endowment adequate to its opportunity. We are glad that its trustees are planning a campaign in 1913 to secure an endowment which will enable the school to do the largest possible service. For the work of training men for the ministry no equipment should be lacking.

To turn money into Christian efficiency is its highest use. Important as are some of the enterprises now in progress in the Oregon Conference we wish emphatically to state there are no enterprises so fraught with significance to the Methodism of this Northwest as the Christian institutions on the campus at Willamette University.

We are glad for the prosperity of our theological institutions,

Drew Theological Seminary, Boston School of Theology, Garrett Biblical Institute, and others, and look forward to the day when on this Pacific Coast our own Kimball shall be as splendidy equipped and as largely attended as any one of these.

We recommend the election of the following to the board of trustees of Willamette University:

For three years: J. W. McDougall, R. N. Avison, H. S. Wilkinson, Wm. H. Fry.

For two years: D H. Leech, A. R. MacLean.

For one year: Hiram Gould, D. H. Trimble.

For visitors to Willamette University: G. O. Oliver, H. J. Van Fossen, W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., and C. C. Rarick.

We also recommend the election as visitors to Kimball School School of Theology S H. Dewart and W. J. Douglass.

The Board of Education contains its helpful work. We recommend that the apportionment of four cents per member for which it asks be fully met. We also recommend that the Children's Day program issued by the Board be used as far as possible so that the significance of the day shall be brought before the Sunday schools and the church.

We recommend the following as members of the Conference: Board of Education: Robert Sutcliffe, H. S. Wilkinson, D. L. Fields, G. F. Hopkins, W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., R. E. Dunlap, W. J. Douglass, C. C. Rarick, R. A. Booth, A. M. Hammer, F. S. Sackett, B. L. Steenes, G. F. Billings, Jas. Campbell, Jr., T. S. McDaniel, W. S. Gordon, Fletcher Homer, ex-officio.

The discipline providing that the educational anniversary may be under the direction of this board we so recommend.

S. H. Dewart,
Chairman.
H. S. Wilkinson,
Secretary.

In accordance with the resolution adopted by the Oregon Annual Conference last year we report the "Special Gifts" to Willamette University that they may be recorded in the Journal of this year.

Received on current expenses as follows:

Astoria	$ 550.00
Boring	15.00
Cornelius	10.00
Corvallis	5.00
Cottage Grove	5.00
Creswell	5.00
Dilly	25.00
Eugene	40.00

Hillsboro	20.00
Lents	5.00
Oregon City	45.00
Portland—	
Centenary	35.00
Central	80.00
Grace	15.00
Mt. Tabor	50.00
Sellwood	20.00
St. Johns	15.00
Sunnyside	10.00
Taylor Street	675.00
University	5.00
Woodlawn	40.00
Trinity	5.00
Salem	315.00
Salem, First Church	420.00
Shedd	15.00
Springfield	15.00
St. Helens	30.00
Wilson	5.00
Total	$2475.00

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.

The tendency of the age is to recognize the worth of those who by self sacrifice and earnest endeavor have made possible our civil and religious institutions and we rejoice that the Methodist Episcopal Church has incorporated in its policy a connectional movement which not only recognize the ability and unceasing loyalty of the veterans of the cross who have laid the foundations of our beloved Methodism, but propose a competency for all of her preachers, so that when no longer effective they may enjoy a comfortable and happy decline, which competency is to be looked upon not as charity but as a financial obligation.

We recommend that an amount equal to one and one-fourth per cent of the pastor's salary for Episcopal Fund and three per cent of pastor's salary for conference claimants, not including house rent be apportioned for the ensuing year.

We further recommend that every pastor comply with the requirements of the Discipline in prorating the pastor's salary with the Bishop, District Superintendent and Conference claimants, and that we urge upon the pastor's the necessity of frequently presenting this matter to the people and encourage them both by precept and example to pay as God has prospered them until not less than $100,000 permanent fund has been raised for this very important cause.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD HOCKING.
W. H. HAMPTON.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

We are glad to note the progress, and general good work that has been done, and is being done by the Epworth League throughout this Conference. But we trust that a few suggestions may prove of some value.

First, we rejoice that the suggestion of last year, concerning an Epworth League Institute, has been adopted by this Conference, and we hope for a large attendance.

Second, We urgently plead that our leagues may enter into hearty co-operation with the central office, in securing self-support.

Third, We recommend the use of the District Convention.

Fourth, We further recommend that the various leagues arrange for a wholesome observance of our patriotic days.

Recognizing the achievements of the League in the past, and commending it for its glorious work in the present, and also that the future has still greater possibilities, we pray that the blessing of Almighty God, Our Heavenly Father, may attend its efforts; we pledge to this arm of this church, our hearty co-operation.

H. W. Rummell,
Robert S. Bishop,
Albert S. Hisey.

FREEDMAN'S AID SOCIETY.

Your Committee on Freedman's Aid Society respectfully reports:

There are twenty-two schools under the care of the Society, with 500 teachers and nearly 7000 students. In them is held up the ideal that emancipation rises above the physical to the social, intellectual and moral freedom of a people, and that only as every new power is directed to Christian service is there true liberty.

There were during the past year in these schools for the negro people over 300 conversions and their graduates are everywhere recognized as leaders in the solution of the problems that confront their race.

To the support of these institutions for the current year the General Committee has appropriated $300,000, an advance of $50,000 over last year. The apportionment for this Conference is $1,934. Our apportionment for the last year was $1,390 of which we paid $1,004. Your committee urges that the full apportionment for this year be met.

In addition to this we call attention to the following para-

graph which was adopted by the General Conference in May, 1912: "We endorse the recommendation of the Board of Managers of the General Committee and the Board of Bishops that the year 1913 be observed as the Semi-Centennial Jubilee of the glorious Act of Emancipation, that the year be kept free for religious and patriotic celebration of this momentuous occurrence, and that special offerings be made in connection with this Anniversary Celebration for the support, endowment, and more perfect equipment of the Freedmen's Aid Schools."

We urge every pastor to take advantage of the opportunity afforded by the annual Lincoln's Birthday Sunday to press this claim of the Society and to assist in raising the $500,000 sought by the Board of Managers.

J. S. Green,
W. B. Pepper,
J. C. Spencer.

INDIAN WORK.

We earnestly commend the work of our missions on the Klamath and Siletz Indian Reservations. It was with interest that we heard the reports of the two missionaries, W. J. Warrell and W. T. Pearce, and believe that they are rendering splendid service.

We learned with pleasure that the Government agents, E. Watson and K. C. Egbest, assist our missionaries very materially in their efforts to minister intelligently and effectively to our Government and church wards.

We deplore the fact that since the reappearance of saloons at Klamath Falls, Bonanza and Ft. Klamath, in Klamath County, and Toledo in Lincoln County, much trouble has been experienced over the whiskey question by both the Government and the church.

We recommend that the Woman's Home Missionary Society procure one or two stereopticons for use upon these mission fields.

We recommend that these missions be given the unreserved support of the Conference in sympathetic co-operation and the most liberal cash allowance possible.

G. H. Feese.

RESOLUTIONS.

Your Committee on Resolutions presents the following report:

We are grateful to Almighty God for an annual session exceptionally free from annoying or distressing incidents. We owe

this delightful experience in largest measure to the urbane administration of our presiding Bishop, Richard J. Cooke.

We deeply appreciate the fact that in his formal administrative duties there have been expressed both the accuracy of the careful administrator and the gracious spirit of the Christian gentleman. We count ourselves also in his debt for his splendid and helpful addresses and sermons. He has placed us under great obligations and it is a matter of deep gratification to us that we are to continue to be the recipients of these superior advantages throughout this quadrenium.

Bishop Cooke, the members of the Oregon conference, thank you.

The comprehensive work done in the devotional meetings by our own brother, Benjamin Young, is worthy of special mention. His addresses have been spiritual and helpful to all.

We would recognize in a few words, but with full appreciation, the unwearied devotion of Pastor Lester C. Poor and his enthusiastic and loyal people who have made us feel the largest welcome to this beautiful city and their hospitable homes.

For the willing and efficient services of our industrious secretaries and their assistants, we express our thanks.

We thoroughly recognize the great and invaluable services rendered the church by our able and progressive Laymen's Association, and extend to their representatives a hearty welcome to our pulpits.

We greatly appreciate the courtesies extended by the Citizens Bank & Trust Co. of this city, and would acknowledge our indebtedness to the local sister churches for their Christian spirit manifested in placing at our disposal their church edifices, to the press of Ashland and the State for their faithful reports, and to the railroads.

Respectfully submitted,

R. N. Avison,
Chairman.

E. O. Eldridge,
Secretary.

SANCTITY OF THE SABBATH.

Whereas:

1. God has ordained and commanded that we keep one day in seven sacred as a day of rest;

2. Man is so constituted that for his physical, mental and moral well being he needs such a day;

3. The permanent prosperity of the state, and the very existence of the church is threatened by the prevalent secularization of the Sabbath;

Therefore be it resolved:

1. That we exhort our people to refrain from all unnecessary labor, business, and travel on Sunday;

2. That we urge them not to attend Sunday picture shows, or other places of amusement that ignore the fourth commandment, and force the church into a needless and unfair competition:

3. That we urge upon our pastors the duty of dealing fearlessly with this subject from the pulpit;

4. That we favor the enactment of an efficient Sunday law by the initiative ballot;

5. That we endorse the efficient work done by the Rev. G. L. Tufts, Ph. D., through the Lord's Day Alliance, and recommend his appointment as secretary of the Methodist Federation for Social Service, on the Pacific Coast.

W. S. Gordon,
H. N. Aldrich,
L. F. Belknap,
Committee.

TEMPERANCE.

We congratulate our Church Temperance Society on coming to its own by the recognition accorded it by the last General Conference and we urge upon our pastors the same zeal for its support as is secured for our other recognized benevolent societies.

We recommend that every Sunday School be organized into a Temperance Department as provided by the Discipline.

We recommend that the Epworth League provide an evening program, at least once a quarter, along the lines suggested by the central office of the Church Temperance Society.

We are convinced that municipal politics should be entirely non-partisn to the end that the most wholesome civic conditions may obtain in our towns and cities.

We commend the efforts in some communities where the entire abolition of the saloon is at once impossible, to force these danger spots away from the residence districts, where they may be more adequately policed by the civic authorities.

We heartily endorse Governor Oswald West in his efforts to enforce our laws and better the appalling conditions now existing in many communities and pledge him our hearty co-operation in

his endeavor to render the towns and cities of this commonwealth safer and more wholesome.

We regret the lack of co-operation among the several temperance organizations because of which the church finds difficulty in rendering desired support. We face a solid front in the saloon and wish it were possible to meet it with an undivided opposition.

We are in hearty accord with all the recognized temperance forces now operating for the common good and urge the largest possible co-operation therewith.

Your Committee desires to name Benj. Young, D. H. Trimble, J. W. McDougall and J. K. Hawkins as representatives of this Conference on the Board of the Anti-Saloon League of Oregon, with which we will co-operate in all aggressive work for the enforcement of law and the extension of dry territory.

J. C. Rollins,
W. H. Fry,
R. N. Avison,
J. F. Dunlap,
Committee.

CONDENSED TREASURER'S REPORT.

	CASH	VOUCHERS	TOTALS
Board of Foreign Missions	$ 6626	$3165	$ 9791
Board of Home Missions and Church Ext.	6686	1517	8203
Board of Education, General Education	187	34	221
Board of Education, Children's Fund	316	172	488
Board of Sunday Schools	520	144	664
General Conference Expenses	18	9	27
Episcopal Fund	934	43	977
Laymen's Association	996	1267	2263
Local Educational Interests	1848	1647	3495
Other Benevolent Collections	.....	6638	6638
Board of Conference Claimants, Permanent Fund	6	.....	6
Board of Conference Claimants, Connectional Fund	556	110	666
Temperance Society	107	769	876
Freedmen's Aid Society	837	167	1004
American Bible Society	154	28	182
W. F. M. S.	78	6138	6216
W. H. M. S.	17	3799	3816
Central Office Epworth League	34	94	128
Conference Claimants Collections...$2904 Less 5% for Permanent Fund... 145—	2759		2759
5% for Permanent Fund	145		145
	$22824	$25741	$48565

The sources of income for Conference Claimants amounts distributed at seat of Conference are as follows:

Conference Claimants Collection	$2904	
Less 5% for Permanent Fund	145—	$2759
Book Concern dividend		1976
Chartered Fund		30
Board of Conference Claimants dividend		350
W. H. M. S.		50
Laymen's Association		500
Interest on Oregon Conference Permanent Fund		613
Conference Sunday collection		296
		$6574

Conference ordered to be paid to Oregon Conference Permanent Fund a small balance in treasury of $8.00.

HENRY T. ATKINSON,
Conference Treasurer.

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Oregon Conference Methodist Episcopal Church, submits the following report:

Name.	Number.	Members.
Auxiliaries	39	1553
Young People's Societies	3	109
Standard Bearer Companies	21	680
King's Herald Bands	11	315
Little Light Bearer Circles	14	244
Total	88	2901

Subscribers to Woman's Missionary Friend	482
Subscribers to Junior Missionary Friend	335
Study	343
Mite boxes	554
Tithers	110
Finance—Total	$6407.88

MRS. W. M. ERSKINE,
Conference Corresponding Secretary.

Anniversaries

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1912.

The anniversary of the Woman's Home Missionary Society was called to order at 2 p. m. by Mrs. E. H. Todd. Hymn 631 was sung and Mrs. P. J. Edwards led in prayer. The Conference Treasurer's report and a report relating to the Industrial Home in Portland were presented by Mrs. E. H. Todd. Mrs. F. M. Penn read a report of the Old People's Home in Salem. The Rev. R. N. Avison, pastor of First Methodist Episcopal Church of Salem, delivered an address on "America in the Family of Nations." Mrs. L. C. Poor and Mrs. C. B. Wolf sang a duet. After singing "America," Fletcher Homan pronounced the benediction.

BOARDS OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS AND CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1912.

The anniversary of the Board of Sunday Schools was called to order at 7:30 p. m., by J. K. Hawkins. Hymn 383 was sung and Joseph Knotts led in prayer. After singing hymn 301 Rev. M. J. Trenery, of the Board of Sunday Schools, delivered an address on "A Plea For the Child." Hymn 556 was sung.

The anniversary of the Board of Conference Claimants was held at 8:30 with D. A. Waters in the chair. G. F. Hopkins, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Gresham, delivered the address. Hymn 39 was sung and T. L. Jones pronounced the benediction.

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1912.

At 2 p. m. Mrs. W. M. Erskine called the meeting to order. Hymn 633 was sung and Mrs. Delmar H. Trimble read the third chapter of Ephesians and Mrs. L. E. Norris led in prayer Hymn 653 was sung. Mrs. W. M. Erskine gave a report of the work and Miss Florence Twidwell sang a solo. Mrs. J. T. Abbett delivered an address. An offering was taken, Miss Nellie Gilbert sang a solo, and the meeting closed with the benediction by S. E. Meminger.

BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1912.

At 7:30 p. m. the meeting was called to order by Delmar H. Trimble. Hymn 2 was sung and Miss Nellie Gilbert sang a solo. Hiram Gould led in prayer and R. E. Myers read the Scripture lesson. Mrs. C. B. Wolf and Dr. C. F. Tilton sang a duet H. B. Swartz of Japan delivered the address Hymn 653 was sung and Dr H. B. Swartz pronounced the benediction.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1912.

The anniversary of the Board of Education was called to order at 7:30 p. m. by R. N. Avison. Hymn 171 was sung and S. H. Dewart led in prayer. Hymn 530 was sung and H. D. Kimball, Dean of Kimball College of Theology, made an address. After a solo by Mrs. L. C. Poor addresses were delivered by Edward Laird Mills of the Montana Conference and Fletcher Homan, President of Willamette University. Hymn 180 was sung and the service closed with the benediction by H. D. Kimball.

TEMPERANCE SOCIETY.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1912.

The service opened at 7:30 with W. H. Fry in the chair. Hymn 420 was sung and W. H. Fry led in prayer. After a solo by Miss Gertrude Engle the addresses of the evening were delivered by H. L. Sheldon, Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, and Benjamin Young, pastor of First Methodist Episcopal Church, Portland. An offering amounting to $19.15 cash and $43.50 pledges was taken. Hymn 702 was sung and the meeting was closed with the benediction by W. H. Fry.

BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION.

W. T. Kerr called the meeting to order at 7:30. Hymn 631 was sung and C. O. McCulloch led in prayer. After a solo by Mrs. C. B. Wolf, C. M. Boswell, Secretary of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, delivered an address.

PREACHER'S WIVES ASSOCIATION.

Preacher's Wives Association met and banqueted at the Presbyterian Church. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Delmar H. Trimble.
Vice-President—Mrs. M. B. Parounagian.
Secretary—Mrs. Ernest Richards.
Treasurer—Mrs. A. B. Calder.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Oregon Conference Methodist Episcopal Church submits the following report:

Cash Receipts	$3772.08

DISBURSEMENTS.

To General Fund	487.41
To Young People's Work	236.94
To Children's Work	67.78
To Frontier Work	250.00
To Conference Claimants	50.00
To City Missionary Work in Portland	139.00
To Old People's Home, Salem	1004.14
To National Work	283.65
To Delegates Expenses	112.03
To Printing	52.00
To Organization Work in Oregon	21.35
To Conference Expenses	136.63
To Interest	32.00
To General Printing Fund	2.00
Total	$2874.93
Balance on Hand	$897.15
Cash Supplies Reported	473.00
Total Cash for Conference	4245.08

MRS. K. P. STAPLES, Treasurer.

STATISTICAL TABLES

Oregon Conference

1912

D. LESTER FIELDS, Statistician

Ashland, Oregon

NOTE—Owing to the condensed form in which statistics are printed it was necessary to abbreviate the headings of No. 4. The words "Benevolent Collections" applying to all of No. 4 are omitted. The columns to left of double rule are the Disciplinary Benevolent Collections; to the right, "Other Benevolent Collections."

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Epworth Leagues				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers and Teachers	No. Scholars including Cr. Roll and Home Dept.	No. Senior Chapters	No. Members	No. Junior Chapters	No. Members	No. Churches	Probable Value	No. Parsonages	Probable Value	Building & Improving Ch'es & Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Ch. Property.	Present Indebtedness on Ch. Property
Albany	5	460		1	3	2	2	30	578	1	67	1	35	2	25500	1	4000	207	2191	5900
Bandon	20	93			1		1	15	140	1	26	1	23	1	3500	1	1500		119	378
Brownsville	5	295	2	1	3	4	1	20	180	1	75	1	20	1	5000	1	1500	145		
Buena Vista		65		2		2	3	21	116					1	1300	1	200	10		
Coburg		54		2	3		1	11	95	1	30			1	2500	1	800	60		
Coquille		60		2	1		1	12	100	1	20	1	26	1	1500	1	1200	1		
Corvallis	15	494		4	1	7	1	25	400	1	120	1	40	1	11000	1	2000	100	1300	
Cottage Grove	3	266	1	1	7	18	1	23	312	1	85			1	8000	1	3000	95		400
Crawfordsville		51	1		4	4	2	16	70	1	24			1	1500					
Creswell		229	1	3	12	24	2	20	200	1	42			2	5000	1	2000	140	100	164
Drain	3	91	1	3	1	5	2	14	115	1	25			1	2000	1	1500			
Elkton		56			3	2	2	12	78	1	18			1	1200	1	600			
Eugene	49	1279		7	15	12	1	60	774	2	214			1	50000			50000		
Gardiner		28					1	10	80	1	24			1	2000	1	2000	4000		
Halsey	5	149	1	1	2	20	1	19	133	1	46			1	4000	1	1100	2707		
Independence	28	125	2	4	15	6	1	17	165	1	19			1	6800	1	1000	200	500	2150
Harrisburg and Irving	5	64	1		6		2	19	126					2	5000			150		
Jefferson		49				4	1	8	73					1	2000	1	1500			
Junction	2	180		1		6	2	21	185	1	27			2	6200	1	2000	200	240	
Lebanon	30	216	1	4	7		1	21	312	1	55			1	20000	1	1600	150	2000	8000
Marcola		58		1		8	2	15	93	2			29	3	2200	1	330	230		30
Marshfield	36	178		2	13	12	3	25	297	1	79	1	15	1	5000	1	3000	228	412	300
Mehama and Lions		25		2	3		2	9	71	1	38			2	1600	1	400	69		
Monroe		170	1	1		11	2	17	160	1	60			2	4500	1	1000	382	300	330
Mountain View		30		2	1		4	24	125					1	500			250		
Myrtle Point		36					1	5	45					1	1500	1	800			
North Bend	11	81	1		4	2	1	12	126	1	16			1	3000			400		
Port Orford		22			3		2	12	63									400		
Saginaw		50					3	15	90					2	2000	1	500			
Shedds	16	123		2	24	12	2	25	277	1	44			2	3100	1	1200	19		
Siletz Indian Mission	5	91	2	1	7	2	1	5	40					1	1000	1	600			
Springfield		209	2	3			1	20	265	1	42			1	4000	1	2500	100		
Stayton	1	84			1		2	17	121	1	30			1	3000	1	1000	25		
Toledo		35	1				1	10	40					1	1200	1	600	50		
Turner	5	92					1	16	152	1	50			2	3900	1	1000	95		
Unity and Trent	5	55	1		1	2	2	17	50					2	4000					
Yoncalla	2	65		1		2	3	30	100	1	20			1	1200	1	1300	60		
Total	251	5708	19	51	140	167	60	668	6247	29	1296	6	188	48	205700	30	41630	60473	7162	17652
Increase from 1911		378		8	59	21	5	75	321									20828	5163	4500
Decrease from 1911	2		1								110	5	59		12150		1070			

NAME OF CHARGE	NAMES OF PASTORS	PASTOR'S SUPPORT						Deficiencies	Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Superint'd't		Support of Bishops		Total Sup. Pastors, Conf. Cl., Dist. Sup. and Bishops	Current Expenses		
		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total		Amount Apport'ned	Amount Paid	Amount Apport'ned	Amount Paid	Amount Apport'ned	Amount Paid		Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Total
Albany	D. H. Leech	$ 1500	$ 360	$ 1860	$ 1500	$ 360	$ 1860	.....	$ 45	$ 45	$ 150	$ 150	$ 15	$ 15	$ 2070	$ 711	$ 360	$ 1071
Bandon	Harry Lee	600	150	750	400	150	550	200	18	4	60	40	6	4	598	29	20	49
Brownsville	M. B. Parounagian	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	.....	30	30	100	100	10	10	1340	235	90	325
Buena Vista	H. G. McCain	750	25	775	750	25	775	.....	23	26	75	75	7	7	883	60	99	159
Coburg	G. F. Round	500	100	600	500	100	600	.....	15	14	50	50	6	5	669	50	55	105
Coquille	E. R. Evans	500	180	680	500	180	680	.....	14	14	50	50	5	3	747	60	34	94
Corvallis	J. C. Rollins	1500	264	1764	1500	264	1764	.....	60	45	150	150	15	15	1974	500	350	850
Cottage Grove	Robert Sutcliffe	1400	300	1700	1300	300	1600	100	42	39	140	130	14	13	1782	275	110	385
Crawfordsville	Levi Day	160	.....	160	155	.....	155	5	5	5	16	16	2	2	178	.....	33	33
Creswell	J. F. Dunlop	800	150	950	800	150	950	.....	24	24	80	50	8	8	1032	72	90	162
Drain	E. M. Smith	725	100	825	725	100	825	.....	21	21	72	72	9	9	927	56	55	111
Elkton	F. S. Clemo	450	72	522	450	72	522	.....	14	14	45	45	4	4	585	36	39	75
Eugene	H. S. Wilkinson	2500	300	2800	2500	300	2800	.....	100	100	250	250	25	25	3175	1880	474	2354
Gardiner	J. S. Green	800	150	950	800	150	950	.....	24	24	80	70	8	8	1052	50	60	110
Halsey	W. M. Erskine	700	100	800	700	100	800	.....	21	22	70	70	7	7	899	128	45	173
Independence	F. N. Sandifer	850	100	950	900	100	1000	.....	25	25	85	85	8	8	1118	164	68	232
Harrisburg and Irving	C. O. Heath	475	.....	475	475	.....	475	.....	14	14	48	48	5	5	542	75	75	150
Jefferson	B. A. Bristol	450	100	550	415	100	515	35	12	12	45	42	4	4	573	40	55	95
Junction	Joseph Knotts	725	180	905	725	180	905	.....	22	22	72	72	7	7	1006	100	100	200
Lebanon	L. F. Belknap	1200	200	1400	1200	200	1400	.....	36	36	120	120	12	7	1563	357	120	477
Marcola	J. J. Mickey	138	24	162	138	24	162	.....	.....	1	.....	10	.....	2	175	50	46	96
Marshfield	H. I. Rutledge	1000	300	1300	1000	300	1300	.....	30	30	100	100	10	10	1440	194	115	309
Mehama and Lions	R. Z. Brown	300	50	350	122	50	172	178	29	3	30	23	3	1	198	14	23	37
Monroe	J. G. Crozier	800	100	900	750	100	850	50	24	24	80	75	8	8	957	9	50	59
Mountain View	R. J. Davenport	.....	.....	.....	352	.....	352	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	.....	1	388	.....	90	90
Myrtle Point	F. E. Schofield	300	.....	300	250	.....	250	50	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	1	256	20	35	55
North Bend	A. S. Hisey	700	144	844	700	144	844	.....	21	24	70	70	7	7	945	130	125	255
Port Orford	R. C. Young	175	.....	175	175	.....	175	.....	.....	4	17	17	.....	1	197	.....	36	36
Saginaw	J. L. Beatty	250	48	298	45	25	70	228	7	.....	25	7	2	1	78	.....	40	40
Shedds	Richard Hocking	600	150	750	600	150	750	.....	23	18	60	60	6	6	834	155	105	260
Siletz Indian Mission	W. T. Pearce	50	60	110	47	60	107	3	9	8	30	30	3	3	148	.....	7	7
Springfield	C. N. Lawrence	1000	240	1240	1000	240	1240	.....	30	30	100	100	10	10	1380	220	120	340
Stayton	E. S. Mace	600	120	720	600	120	720	.....	18	18	60	46	6	5	789	.....	50	50
Toledo	C. H. Bryan	428	72	500	380	72	452	48	.....	.....	42	26	.....	.....	478	25	50	75
Turner	F. G. Drake	500	75	575	500	75	575	.....	15	15	50	50	5	5	645	16	59	75
Unity and Trent	B. B. Paull	500	.....	500	432	.....	432	68	14	14	50	47	5	5	498	20	35	55
Yoncalla	Oren Wall	650	150	800	650	150	800	.....	26	26	65	65	8	.....	899	60	83	143
Total	.....	25576	4564	30140	25036	4541	29577	965	791	756	2537	2446	250	240	33019	5791	3401	9192
Increase from 1911	.....	1508	294	1802	1811	233	2044	.....	22	101	.....	41	.....	.....	2069	.....	620	345
Decrease from 1911	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	311	.....	.....	69	.....	56	117	.....	297	.....	.....

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	MISSIONS									Board of Bd.			Bd.S S.								W.H.M. Society			Other Benevolent Collections										
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	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Sc.	(c) Special Gifts	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Sch.	(c) Special Gifts	(a) Church General Educa.	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Children's Fund	(a) Church	(b) Sunday School	Bd. C. Cl.—Conneo'tional Fund	Bd. C. Cl.—Permanent Fund	Freedmen's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	(a) Cash	(b) Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Intereste	Temperance	Laymen's Association	Other Benevolent Collections	Total Benovolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Central Office Ex. Epworth League	Grand Total
Albany	121	36	....	121	36	....	5	....	6	8	5	13	....	22	3	43	88	....	507	20	3	20	12	562	....	3	565
Bandon	2	3	....	3	2	....	....	2	....	2	....	8	....	2	....	....	....	....	24	....	2	....	....	26	....	1	27
Brownsville	100	20	....	90	20	....	3	....	10	9	5	9	....	14	4	94	57	....	435	60	5	30	158	688	1	3	692
Buena Vista	20	15	....	20	15	....	3	....	2	7	....	4	....	5	....	....	....	....	91	30	5	....	41	167	....	....	167
Coburg	13	8	....	13	9	....	1	....	1	1	....	1	....	1	1	50	1	....	100	5	....	....	8	113	....	....	113
Coquille	12	....	....	12	....	....	1	....	....	1	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	28	....	....	....	....	28	1	....	29
Corvallis	128	62	....	128	62	....	6	....	13	17	....	15	....	24	5	166	299	51	976	30	165	20	500	1691	1	....	1692
Cottage Grove	62	10	....	62	10	....	4	....	....	3	....	3	....	4	1	13	13	....	185	15	1	15	....	216	....	....	216
Crawfordsville	8	3	....	7	3	....	1	....	4	1	....	5	....	2	....	....	....	....	34	....	1	....	....	35	....	1	36
Creswell	40	....	....	25	15	....	....	....	2	....	....	8	....	5	1	....	6	....	102	15	....	....	....	117	1	....	118
Drain	6	....	....	6	....	....	....	....	5	....	3	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	23	....	10	....	....	33	....	....	33
Elkton	16	11	....	16	11	1	....	....	2	2	4	....	4	1	....	....	....	....	68	5	....	5	....	78	1	1	80
Eugene	228	77	209	379	121	....	....	....	10	....	13	....	....	70	10	418	195	12	1742	300	5	125	78	2250	4	3	2257
Gardiner	34	....	....	34	....	....	....	....	....	6	....	7	....	5	....	....	4	....	90	29	....	18	....	137	....	1	138
Halsey	37	15	....	36	15	....	2	....	6	....	7	7	....	7	1	84	4	....	221	30	1	15	16	283	....	2	285
Independence	40	10	8	50	10	....	3	....	....	5	2	8	....	8	1	....	....	....	145	45	35	25	....	250	2	....	252
Harrisburg and Irving	16	....	....	16	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	4	....	2	....	....	....	....	40	5	....	....	....	45	....	....	45
Jefferson	8	11	....	8	11	....	1	....	1	2	2	5	....	2	1	3	....	....	55	6	....	....	....	61	3	....	64
Junction	43	10	....	43	10	....	2	....	8	....	7	7	....	7	7	....	....	....	144	30	1	15	....	190	....	2	192
Lebanon	37	23	....	38	22	....	3	....	5	5	5	10	....	8	2	44	13	....	215	25	....	10	27	277	....	....	277
Marcola	6	4	....	6	4	....	1	....	....	1	....	5	....	3	1	....	....	....	31	3	1	....	....	35	....	....	35
Marshfield	32	44	....	32	44	....	4	....	3	5	5	10	....	11	2	....	56	....	248	30	....	15	....	293	....	4	297
Mehama and Lions	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	2
Monroe	22	14	....	22	14	....	5	....	5	2	4	6	....	7	2	....	....	....	103	10	....	10	....	123	....	....	123
Mountain View	5	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	1	....	....	....	13	5	....	....	....	18	1	....	19
Myrtle Point	9	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	17	....	....	....	....	17	....	....	17
North Bend	32	10	....	32	10	....	3	....	....	5	2	4	....	7	....	79	34	31	249	25	....	5	....	279	....	2	281
Port Orford	6	....	36	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	49	....	....	....	....	49	1	....	50
Saginaw	5	....	....	4	....	....	2	....	1	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	14	....	....	....	....	14	....	....	14
Shedds	16	20	....	22	13	....	....	....	1	3	1	5	....	3	1	51	....	....	136	20	5	2	8	171	....	3	174
Siletz Italian Mission	12	....	....	12	....	....	1	....	1	....	....	1	....	1	1	....	....	....	29	5	1	....	....	35	1	....	36
Springfield	36	12	....	36	12	....	2	....	....	2	3	4	....	5	1	62	10	....	185	....	....	....	....	185	....	1	186
Stayton	9	9	....	9	9	....	....	....	4	....	1	5	....	2	1	....	1	....	50	2	2	....	....	54	1	....	55
Toledo	3	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	....	....	....	....	6	....	....	6
Turner	16	9	4	17	8	....	2	....	2	4	....	4	....	3	1	....	2	....	72	10	....	5	....	87	....	1	88
Unity amd Trent	7	....	6	6	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	4	....	1	1	....	....	....	26	2	....	....	....	28	1	....	29
Yoncalla	10	14	7	10	14	....	....	....	5	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	62	....	....	....	....	62	....	1	63
Total	1199	450	270	1338	500	....	56	2	96	96	67	72	....	237	50	1107	783	94	6517	762	243	335	848	8705	19	29	8753
Increase from 1911	87	3	94	19	96	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	58	....	53	191	44	485	29	169	....	....	516	....	1	438
Decrease from 1911	....	....	....	....	....	....	10	12	15	29	18	95	....	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	82	159	....	79	....	....

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Epworth Leagues				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers and Teachers	No. Scholars including Cr. Roll and Home Dept.	No. Senior Chapters	No. Members	No. Junior Chapters	No. Members	No. Churches	Probable Value	No. Parsonages	Probable Value	Building & Improving Ch'es & Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Ch. Property.	Present Indebtedness on Ch. Property
Ashland	17	472	4	8	3	4	1	30	360	1	107	1	30	1	15000	1	2000	190		430
Bonanza	5	53	1				2	14	120	1	35			1	1100	1	800	286		
Canyonville	11	109	1			2	2	15	95	1	25			2	2000	1	800	60		
Central Point		107	1		2	6	1	15	159	1	60	1	26	1	2500	1	2000	800		475
Dorris, California		16		1			1	4	44	1	9			1	1000	1	300	75	95	150
Gold Hill (Ashland, Oregon)		52	1	1	3	3	1	15	125	1	35			1	1500			200		80
Grants Pass	9	411		4	3	6	1	32	348	1	50	1	27	1	15000	1	5000		333	3857
Jacksonville	5	59					1	16	108	1	43			1	1000	1	500			
Kerby		15		1	1		1	9	55					2	2000			300		
Klamath Indian Mission	21	140		2	1		1	6	22					2	3000	1	800	1520		304
Klamath Falls		216	1		20	30	1	21	216	1	50	1	50	1	6500			342	522	1000
Lakeview	1	80		3	2	5	1	17	130			1	30	1	2500	1	1200	16		
Medford	8	329		2	18	6	1	35	435	1	119			1	8000	1	1600	2110		
Merrill	5	39			1	1	1	6	76	1	44			1	1800	1	100		100	300
New Pine Creek		30												1	1250					
Oakland	3	35	2		7	3	1	7	42					1	2000					
Paisley		50	2		2		1	6	35					1	2000	1	1200	50		
Roseburg	2	359	3			12	1	23	380	1	75	1	40	1	3500	1	1500			
Talent		48	1	2	1	12	1	16	115	1	22			1	3500			360	900	550
Ten Mile	24	124	1	1		16	3	21	105	2	61			2	1800	1	500	156		
Wilbur	2	74			3		3	27	155	1	25			3	3600	1	600	60		
Wilderville		70	1				1	12	60	1	20		20	1	1000	1	800			
Wolf Creek	6	42	1	1			2	10	56	1	20			1	1000					
Total	119	2930	20	26	67	106	29	357	3291	18	800	6	223	29	82550	16	19700	6525	1950	7246
Increase from 1911	37	110	2	2				17	219	3	173		52							2459
Decrease from 1911					35	22	2							2	2850	2	1900	1437	490	
California	5	152	1	2	6	6	3	35	220					3	7500	2	2650	50		
Increase	42	262	3	4			1	52	439	3	173		52	1	4650		750			2459
Decrease					29	16												1387	490	

NAME OF CHARGES	NAMES OF PASTORS	PASTOR'S SUPPORT						Deficiencies	Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Superint'd't		Support of Bishops		Total Sup. Pastors, Conf. Cl., Dist. Sup. and Bishops	Current Expenses		
		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total		Amount Apport'ned	Amount Paid	Amount Apport'ned	Amount Paid	Amount Apport'ned	Amount Paid		Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Total
Ashland	L. C. Poor	1450	300	1750	1450	300	1750	.....	44	44	159	159	14	14	1967	980	125	1105
Bonanza	W. J. Warren	300	96	396	318	96	414	.....	9	9	33	35	3	3	461	13	49	62
Canyonville	G. A. Gray	500	75	575	427	75	502	73	15	13	55	47	5	4	566	33	54	87
Central Point	H. N. Aldrich	1000	240	1240	1000	240	1240	.....	30	30	110	110	10	10	1390	75	62	137
Dorris, Cal	W. B. Pepper	400	84	484	370	84	454	30	12	10	44	39	4	3	506	14	20	34
Gold Hill [Ashland, Ore.]	E. C. Richards	500	.....	500	500	.....	500	.....	15	15	55	55	7	7	577	50	48	98
Grants Pass	W. R. Jeffrey	1600	400	2000	1600	400	2000	.....	64	48	176	176	16	16	2240	1159	389	1548
Jacksonville	H. N. Aldrich	.....	.....	.....	368	50	418	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	418	50	52	102
Kerby	R. D. Cady	250	.....	250	206	.....	206	44	.....	.....	6	6	.....	.....	212	10	18	28
Klamath Indian Mission	J. W. Warrell	.....	.....	.....	180	30	210	.....	.....	3	.....	33	.....	.....	246	5	12	17
Klamath Falls	G. H. Feese	1100	240	1340	1100	240	1340	.....	36	36	121	121	12	12	1500	295	156	451
Lakeview	M. T. Wire	1200	200	1400	1201	200	1401	.....	36	50	132	132	12	12	1595	139	122	257
Medford	E. O. Eldridge	1600	250	1850	1600	250	1850	.....	48	48	176	176	16	16	2090	284	367	651
Merrill	W. J. Warren	200	24	224	200	24	224	.....	6	6	22	22	2	2	254	8	28	36
New Pine Creek	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oakland	D. S. Davis	200	.....	200	175	.....	175	25	6	6	22	19	2	2	202	50	50	100
Paisley	E. S. Wilcox	200	60	260	200	60	260	.....	6	6	22	22	2	2	290	50	.....	50
Roseburg	A. R. Maclean	1500	200	1700	1500	200	1700	.....	45	45	165	165	22	22	1932	570	200	770
Talent	Geo. H. Way	300	120	420	245	120	365	55	9	9	33	33	3	3	410	70	75	145
Ten Mile	H. W. Rummell	440	75	515	445	75	520	.....	13	13	48	48	4	4	585	23	52	75
Wilbur	A. S. Jenkins	450	60	510	450	60	510	.....	13	10	49	49	4	4	573	75	40	115
Wilderville	W. D. Johnson	199	75	274	199	75	274	.....	3	1	40	19	3	.....	294	2	23	25
Wolf Creek	J. W. Cullen	200	.....	200	200	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	22	22	2	2	224	25	20	45
Total	.....	13589	2499	16088	13934	2579	16513	227	410	402	1490	1488	143	138	18541	3976	1962	5938
Increase from 1911	.....	.....	.....	.....	267	.....	56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	202	1065	231	296
Decrease from 1911	.....	556	76	632	.....	11	.....	675	12	3	47	8	57	43	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cal	.....	1800	270	2070	1861	270	2131	160	54	48	198	176	27	24	2579	175	100	275
Increase from 1911	.....	.....	.....	.....	2128	259	2187	.....	42	45	151	168	.....	.....	2781	1240	331	371
Decrease from 1911	.....	1244	194	1438	.....	.....	.....	515	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	19	.....	.....	.....	.....

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Ashland	166	20	....	166	20	....	6	....	19	4	15	14	....	27	4	239	122	....	839	115	2	40	....	996	....	5	1001
Bonanza	8	9	....	8	9	....	1	....	2	....	2	3	....	3	1	....	....	....	46	....	1	....	....	47	....	....	47
Canyonville	9	9	....	9	9	....	2	....	5	4	....	1	....	4	1	....	....	....	53	3	1	1	....	58	....	1	59
Central Point	7	....	....	....	7	....	2	....	4	....	2	6	....	7	1	....	4	....	40	5	2	....	....	47	....	....	47
Dorris, Cal.	4	5	....	14	....	....	....	....	2	1	....	2	....	2	1	....	....	....	31	4	....	1	3	39	....	....	39
Gold Hill [Ashland, Ore.]	6	6	....	10	7	....	1	....	1	1	....	....	....	2	1	....	....	....	35	5	....	....	....	40	....	1	41
Grants Pass	138	26	....	138	26	....	....	....	20	....	20	10	6	20	2	111	87	....	604	50	10	....	50	714	....	4	718
Jacksonville	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Kerby	....	....	....	2	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	5
Klamath Indian Mission	7	1	....	7	1	....	....	....	1	....	2	....	....	1	1	....	....	....	21	1	....	....	....	22	....	....	22
Klamath Falls	20	....	....	20	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	5	....	71	....	....	118	....	....	....	....	118	....	....	118
Lakeview	9	36	....	9	36	....	2	....	5	5	....	10	....	7	2	....	....	....	121	17	2	5	....	145	....	1	146
Medford	115	35	50	115	35	....	5	....	15	....	15	16	....	21	4	....	56	....	482	75	....	55	....	612	....	....	612
Merrill	1	5	....	1	5	....	....	....	2	....	1	1	....	1	1	....	....	....	18	4	....	....	....	22	....	....	22
New Pine Creek	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Oakland	12	....	....	12	....	....	1	....	4	2	....	2	....	3	1	....	....	....	37	5	....	....	....	42	....	....	42
Paisley	10	....	....	10	....	....	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	22	....	....	....	....	22	....	....	22
Roseburg	75	43	35	75	43	....	4	....	12	....	12	15	....	17	3	155	113	....	602	80	....	....	100	782	....	3	785
Talent	8	11	....	8	11	....	....	....	3	2	....	2	....	1	1	....	7	....	54	5	....	....	....	59	....	1	60
Ten Mile	18	5	5	18	5	....	1	....	6	3	....	4	....	4	1	....	....	....	70	9	....	5	1	85	....	3	88
Wilbur	25	10	....	25	10	....	1	....	4	4	....	4	....	5	1	....	....	....	89	....	....	....	....	89	....	....	89
Wilderville	8	....	....	8	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	1	....	....	....	21	....	....	....	....	21	....	....	21
Wolf Creek	10	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	23	....	....	....	....	23	....	....	23
Total	656	221	90	665	227	....	30	....	105	27	71	93	6	131	27	576	389	....	3331	378	18	107	154	3988	....	19	4007
Increase from 1911	2	15	....	....	17	....	10	....	31	....	7	65	6	54	6	1	113	....	....	126	....	....	....	....	....	4	....
Decrease from 1911	....	....	100	7	....	....	....	....	....	17	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	18	....	56	272	935	1081	....	....	1161

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Epworth Leagues				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers and Teachers	No. Scholars including Cr. Roll and Home Dept.	No. Senior Chapters	No. Members	No. Junior Chapters	No. Members	No. Churches	Probable Value	No. Parsonages	Probable Value	Building & Improving Ch'es & Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Ch. Property.	Present Indebtedness on Ch. Property
Astoria	9	147	1	1	2		2	30	354	1	40			1	12200	1	4000	3200	2000	
Clatskanie		96			8	3	2	12	138	1	36			3		1	1000			
Houlton	1	32	1		1		1	12	85					2	2100	1	350			
Knappa		14	1	1			1	1	15					2	1700	1	720	755		
Linnton	(1)	(20)			(3)	(2)	(2)	(14)	(114)					(2)	(1300)	(1)	(1100)			
Portland—Brentwood		25			1		1	7	50	1	24			1	1000			25	10	65
Centenary	17	683	1	4			1	30	420	2	140			1	65000	1	6000	1500		
Carson Heights		13					1	9	47									195		
Central	20	325	2	2	20	1	1	31	360	1	90	1	4	1	19800	1	3000	400		1915
Chinese Mission	5	47					1	10	28											
Clinton Kelly Memorial	12	95	1	2	2	4	1	17	145	1	33	1	24	1	10500			4500		
Epworth	12	105		2	16	3	1	17	227	1	20			1	11000	1	4000	201		675
First Church	45	1205	6	10	17	7	1	45	1001	1	105	1	35	1	150000	1	20000			
Grace	14	640		2	12	5	1	17	250	1	84			1	100000	1	25000	900		
Laurelwood		175			4		1	18	220	1	40	1	30	1	4000			500		
Lincoln		14					1	1	40											
Mt. Tabor	9	235	2	2	4	5	1	23	371	1	66			1	18000	1	2300	285	800	4000
Montavilla	14	160	3	2	10		1	19	170	1	37	1	30	1	6500	1	2000	175	137	
Patton		160	3	1	3		1	14	170	1	20			1	5000					
Sellwood	12	256	5	3	7	2	1	32	415	1	100	1	115	1	8000	1	2200	250	200	100
St. Johns	16	115		2	3	4	1	16	130	1	32			1	4000	1	2500	134	128	315
Sunnyside		605	4	10	35	15	1	38	701	1	85			1	49500	1	3250	11006	5500	16500
Trinity	4	80	1	4	4	1	1	11	50	1	15					1	5000	358		585
University Park	1	305	3	1	9	8	1	26	330	1	44			1	7300	1	3700		360	1933
Westmoreland		24	1				1	10	82											
Woodstock		116	1		2		1	20	190	1	32	1	41	1	9000	1	3000	128	150	2067
Woodlawn	2	130					1	20	200	1	35			1	3500	1	2000	200		
Rainier	5	60			2		2	19	295	1	35	1	33	3	5000	1	1400	100	75	376
Seaside	10	103	1		9	12	1	18	200	1	51	1	25	1	6000	1	1200	200		
St. Helens	2	79			1	1	1	14	244	1	38			1	2500			52		
Warrenton		9		1			1	4	25					2	1500			3		25
Total	211	6073	37	50	175	73	35	555	7067	24	1202	9	337	34	504400	21	93720	25067	9360	28556
Increase from 1911	28	355	11	24	29		4	36	930	2	18			2	9400		2403		4553	
Decrease from 1911						29							2133					4899		5393
RECAPITULATION																				
Eugene	251	5708	19	51	140	167	62	668	6242	29	1296	6	1 8848		205700	30	41630	60473	7162	17652
Klamath	119	2930	20	26	67	106	29	357	3291	18	800	6	223	29	82550	16	19700	6525	1950	7246
Portland	211	6073	37	50	175	73	35	555	7067	24	1202	9	337	34	504400	21	93720	25067	9360	28556
Salem	209	6145	31	62	108	332	78	806	7637	40	1458	10	324	81	301600	35	54100	20096	6034	44270
Total	790	20856	107	189	490	678	204	2386	24237	111	4756	31	1072	192	1094250	102	209150	112161	24506	97724
Increase from 1911	75	1230	8	25	54	115	14	134	2124	10	226			5	42450		1033		13127	16976

NAME OF CHARGE	NAMES OF PASTORS	PASTOR'S SUPPORT: Claims: Salary	Claims: House Rent	Claims: Total	Receipts: Salary	Receipts: House Rent	Receipts: Total	Deficiencies	Support of Conference Claimants: Amount Apport'ned	Support of Conference Claimants: Amount Paid	Support of District Superint'dt: Amount Apport'ned	Support of District Superint'dt: Amount Paid	Support of Bishops: Amount Apport'ned	Support of Bishops: Amount Paid	Total Sup. Pastors, Conf. Cl., Dist. Sup. and Bishops	Current Expenses: Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Current Expenses: Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Current Expenses: Total.
Astoria	H. J. Van Fossen	$ 1500	$ 400	$ 1900	$ 1500	$ 400	$ 1900	.....	$ 45	$ 45	$ 150	$ 150	$ 15	$ 15	$ 2110	$ 415	$ 184	$ 509
Clatskanie	Louis Thomas	600	100	700	635	100	735	.....	18	18	60	60	6	6	819	160	60	226
Houlton	C. L. Dark	500	.....	500	426	10	436	74	15	1	50	31	5	1	469	37	41	78
Knappa	E. T. Luther	.....	72	72	118	72	190	.....	.....	4	.....	12	.....	1	207	3	18	21
Linnton	.....	(600)	(180)	(780)	(645)	(180)	(825)	.....	.....	5	(60)	(65)	.....	.....	(895)	.....	(88)	(88)
Portland—Brentwood	C. H. Campbell	100	.....	100	100	.....	100	.....	3	1	10	1	1	.....	102	10	25	35
Centenary	D. H. Trimble	2500	500	3000	2500	500	3000	.....	75	75	250	250	25	25	3350	3550	250	3800
Carson Heights	H. T. Greene	.....	.....	.....	58	.....	58	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	61	.....	20	20
Central	C. L. Hamilton	1500	300	1800	1500	300	1800	.....	45	45	150	150	15	15	2010	402	269	671
Chinese Mission	Chan Sing Kai	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	1	73	.....	67	67
Clinton Kelly Memorial	C. O. McCulloch	800	.....	800	800	.....	800	.....	24	19	80	64	8	8	891	50	112	162
Epworth	Frank James	1000	360	1360	925	360	1285	75	30	27	100	90	10	9	1410	75	116	191
First Church	Benjamin Young	3600	1000	4600	3600	1000	4600	.....	108	108	360	360	36	36	5104	5750	878	6628
Grace	J. H. Cudlipp	2500	1000	3500	2500	1000	3500	.....	105	105	275	275	35	35	3915	820	250	1070
Laurelwood	Asa Sleeth	800	130	930	800	130	930	.....	24	24	80	80	6	6	1040	145	227	372
Lincoln	L. G. Parker	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Tabor	C. C. Rarick	1400	240	1640	1400	240	1640	.....	42	42	140	140	14	14	1836	608	227	835
Montavilla	W. H. Hampton	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	.....	30	30	100	100	10	10	1340	205	85	290
Patton	R. E. Myers	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	.....	30	30	100	100	12	12	1342	350	125	475
Sellwood	J. K. Hawkins	1100	240	1340	1100	240	1340	.....	33	33	110	110	11	11	1494	379	296	675
St. Johns	J. J. Patton	700	200	900	700	200	900	.....	21	21	70	70	7	7	998	108	61	169
Sunnyside	W. H. Fry	2100	400	2500	2100	400	2500	.....	60	60	210	210	20	20	2790	1006	233	1239
Trinity	C. T. McPherson	757	200	957	757	200	957	.....	22	22	75	75	6	6	1060	40	42	82
University Park	W. J. Douglass	1200	350	1550	1200	350	1550	.....	36	36	120	120	12	12	1718	775	154	929
Westmoreland	H. T. Greene	200	.....	200	200	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	20	20	2	2	222	60	45	105
Woodstock	D. W. Moore	600	240	840	555	240	795	45	18	12	60	60	6	6	873	225	13	238
Woodlawn	Harold Oberg	900	200	1100	900	200	1100	.....	27	27	90	90	9	9	1226	160	150	310
Rainier	C. T. Cook	650	140	790	650	140	790	.....	19	19	65	65	7	7	881	60	130	190
Seaside	G. O. Oliver	800	100	900	800	100	900	.....	24	24	80	80	8	8	1012	175	110	285
St. Helens	A. A. Heist	1000	.....	1000	1000	.....	1000	.....	30	35	100	100	13	13	1148	95	150	245
Warrenton	E. T. Luther	.....	.....	.....	120	.....	120	.....	.....	4	.....	12	.....	1	137	2	3	5
Total	.....	29407	6752	36159	29749	6762	36511	194	884	872	2965	2955	299	296	40634	15665	4429	20094
Increase from 1911	.....	282	.....	203	771	.....	702	.....	26	48	32	150	.....	.....	850	1905	424	2329
Decrease from 1911	.....	.....	79	.....	.....	69	.....	227	.....	.....	.....	.....	79	50	.....	.....	.....	.....
RECAPITULATION.																		
Eugene	.....	25576	4564	30140	25036	4541	29577	965	791	756	2537	2446	250	240	33019	5791	3401	9214
Klamath	.....	13589	2499	16088	13934	2579	16513	227	410	402	1490	1488	143	138	18541	3976	1962	5938
Portland	.....	29407	6752	36159	29749	6762	36511	194	884	872	2965	2955	299	296	40634	15665	4429	20094
Salem	.....	30703	4812	35515	30034	4822	34983	878	914	874	2992	2808	313	274	38939	6827	4245	11072
Total	.....	99275	18627	117902	98753	18704	117584	2264	2999	2904	9984	9697	1005	948	131031	32259	14037	46312
Increase from 1911	.....	3696	428	4124	4901	377	5405	.....	60	190	.....	111	5297	3723	1905	3723	1905	5644
Decrease from 1911	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	911	.....	.....	41	.....	273	307	.....	.....	.....	.....

BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS—Disciplinary

NAME OF CHARGES	MISSIONS: Bd. For. Mis. (a) Church	(b) Sunday Sc.	(c) Special Gifts	B.H.M.-C.E. (a) Church	Sunday Sc. (c)	(b) Special Gifts	Board of Ed. (a) Church General Educa.	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Children's Fund	Bd.S.S. (a) Church	(b) Sunday School	Bd. C. Cl.—Connectional Fund	Bd. C. Cl.—Permanent Fund	Freedmen's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	W.H.M. Society (a) Cash	(b) Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections
Astoria	102	13	21	102	13	....	3	....	10	12	....	15	....	16	5	51	....	....	363
Clatskanie	17	10	....	14	10	....	1	....	1	1	1	1	....	3	....	....	....	....	59
Houlton	....	4	3	....	4	....	1	....	7	....	3	1	....	1	1	....	....	....	25
Knappa	....	5	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10
Linnton	5	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	11
Portland—Brentwood	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7
Centenary	267	50	360	325	50	....	11	....	....	....	....	25	....	53	....	514	214	61	1930
Carson Heights	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2
Central	128	27	....	113	27	....	....	....	9	15	....	15	....	10	2	79	80	....	505
Chinese Mission	25	....	....	25	....	....	1	....	1	2	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	55
Clinton Kelly Memorial	23	....	....	22	....	....	1	....	1	4	5	....	....	2	1	....	....	....	59
Epworth	35	16	....	35	16	....	1	....	5	3	2	5	....	6	2	....	....	....	126
First Church	493	375	349	483	375	....	....	....	50	....	35	36	....	120	20	1404	....	....	3740
Grace	400	....	....	400	....	....	5	....	....	5	....	25	....	30	....	651	156	30	1702
Laurelwood	30	10	60	20	10	....	....	....	7	1	....	1	....	7	....	66	....	....	212
Lincoln	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Mt. Tabor	112	25	285	112	25	....	4	....	5	14	....	14	....	19	3	154	3	....	775
Montavilla	76	13	....	77	12	....	2	....	8	10	....	10	....	13	1	70	33	....	325
Patton	40	14	....	40	14	....	....	....	3	5	....	....	....	5	1	....	....	....	122
Sellwood	135	13	140	134	14	....	4	....	10	8	3	11	....	21	1	121	129	22	766
St. Johns	11	9	....	12	9	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	27	24	95
Sunnyside	94	7	....	95	8	....	....	....	3	10	....	5	....	10	....	196	....	....	428
Trinity	8	7	....	8	7	....	1	....	1	1	1	2	....	1	1	40	43	....	121
University Park	52	18	....	52	18	....	3	....	6	3	3	3	....	10	2	11	30	....	211
Westmoreland	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	1	2	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	7
Woodstock	39	....	....	30	....	....	1	....	....	6	....	6	....	7	....	....	....	....	89
Woodlawn	45	20	....	45	20	....	7	....	....	....	5	3	....	5	2	....	....	....	152
Rainier	41	....	....	41	....	....	1	....	....	6	....	6	....	5	1	....	....	....	101
Seaside	46	20	....	46	20	....	....	....	5	3	4	7	....	9	....	4	12	....	176
St. Helens	32	8	10	32	8	....	1	....	....	10	2	10	....	5	1	....	....	....	119
Warrenton	....	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2
Total	2258	665	1228	2270	666	....	48	....	135	121	73	201	....	361	44	3361	727	137	12295
Increase from 1911	512	96	123	326	240	....	10	....	....	....	....	56	....	110	....	58	....	110	.....
Decrease from 1911	....	....	....	....	....	22	....	6	2	218	12	....	....	....	65	....	206	....	.....

Other Benevolent Collections

NAME OF CHARGES	Local Educational Interests	Temperance	Laymen's Association	Other Benevolent Collections	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Central Office Ex. Epworth League	Grand Total
Astoria	530	5	50	....	948	....	2	950
Clatskanie	5	1	4	....	69	....	2	71
Houlton	2	1	1	....	29	....	....	29
Knappa	....	....	....	....	10	....	....	10
Linnton	5	....	....	....	16	....	....	16
Portland—Brentwood	....	....	....	....	7	....	....	7
Centenary	155	66	626	....	2777	....	3	2780
Carson Heights	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	2
Central	75	3	25	69	677	....	4	681
Chinese Mission	4	1	4	....	64	....	....	64
Clinton Kelly Memorial	5	1	10	....	75	....	3	78
Epworth	15	4	5	....	150	2	....	152
First Church	286	75	685	2743	7529	....	....	7529
Grace	....	107	....	1140	2949	....	....	2949
Laurelwood	....	....	....	....	212	....	....	212
Lincoln	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Mt. Tabor	60	5	32	121	993	....	4	997
Montavilla	36	60	25	210	656	....	2	658
Patton	17	1	....	....	140	....	....	140
Sellwood	60	1	30	....	857	....	6	863
St. Johns	....	12	....	21	128	....	2	130
Sunnyside	50	38	15	7	538	....	....	538
Trinity	10	11	....	65	207	....	....	207
University Park	40	10	15	....	276	....	2	278
Westmoreland	2	....	2	....	11	....	....	11
Woodstock	20	21	2	67	199	....	....	199
Woodlawn	20	18	20	136	346	....	....	346
Rainier	12	1	5	....	119	....	....	119
Seaside	13	1	5	45	240	....	3	243
St. Helens	17	2	7	53	198	....	....	198
Warrenton	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	2
Total	1439	445	1568	4677	20424	2	33	20459
Increase from 1911	341	114		....	.....	....	....	.....
Decrease from 1911	....	....	1783	1001	.....	82	1	.....

RECAPITULATION.

Eugene	1199	450	270	1338	500	....	56	2	96	96	67	172	....	237	50	1107	783	94	6517	762	243	335	848	8705	19	29	8753
Klamath	656	221	90	665	227	....	30	....	105	27	71	93	6	131	27	576	389	17	3331	378	18	107	154	3988	....	19	4007
Portland	2258	665	1228	2270	666	....	48	....	135	121	73	201	....	361	44	3361	727	137	12295	1439	445	1568	4677	20424	2	33	20459
Salem	1816	462	467	1725	497	315	77	8	152	112	97	200	....	275	61	1172	1531	155	9122	916	170	253	959	11463	1	47	11511
Total	5932	1798	2055	5998	1890	315	211	10	488	356	308	666	6	1004	118	6216	3430	403	31265	3495	876	2263	6638	44580	22	128	44730
Increase from 1911	1102	124	407	692	434	293	4				44	121	6	264			210		2227	507	370					5	

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	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers and Teachers	No. Scholars including Cr. Roll and Home Dept	No. Senior Chapters	No. Members	No. Junior Chapters	No. Members	No. Churches	Probable Value	No. Parsonages	Probable Value	Building & Improving Ch'ches & Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Ch. Property.	Present Indebtedness on Ch. Property
Amity	3	160			2	1	1	16	120	1	50			1	2,500	1	600	500		
Ballston		55			2	3	2	10	50	2	24			3	2,600			171		
Banks		52			2	1	1	13	60	1	20	1	16	2	4,000	1	1,000	364		
Bay City and Nehalem		60		2			5	20	100					2	4,000	1	1,500	2,000		500
Beaverton	6	60		1	2		3	20	130			1	20	4	8,500	1	1,000		838	500
Brooks		80				1	3	17	114					2	1,600	1	600	25		
Canby	14	115					1	15	139	1	24			1	8,000	1	800	4,254		2,000
Carlton																				
Clackamas and Oak Grove		94	1	2	3	2	2	26	202	2	45	1	15	2	6,500	1	1,500	155		
Cleone	5	44		1			3	27	88	1	20			4	5,000	3	2,800	21		
Cornelius		62		1	1		1	11	85	1	12			1	1,000	1	600	15		
Currensville		15			1		1	5	25					1	1,000					
Dallas		227		3		12	1	20	250	1	59			1	4,500	1	1,500	505	50	600
Dayton		135		2			2	24	96					3	7,800	1	2,500	100		
Estacada		73	3	3	9		3	22	143	2	30			3	6,000	1	1,500	258	326	325
Falls City	6	97		1	5	5	1	10	100	1	50	1	15	1	1,500	1	500	12		
Forest Grove	3	279	2	2		6	1	27	374	1	74	1	40	1	17,500	1	3,500			
Gresham	5	126		2	3		1	19	200	1	30			1	5,700	1	1,600	370		70
Hillsboro		174	1	5		1	1	12	205	1	10	1	32	1	12,000	1	4,000	400	100	3,650
Hope Chapel	7	52			10		2	16	90	1	18			1	1,000					
Hubbard and North Plains		18		1			1	2	8					2	1,500					
Lafayette	6	88	1	1	1	3	2	20	191	1	17			2	2,400	1	600	20		
Lents	20	181	1	2	12	15	2	30	345	1	39	1	73	2	5,500			85		
Marquam	2	46				1	1	10	82					2	3,500	1	1,000	20	35	
McMinnville	3	301			1	6	1	18	265	1	79			1	6,000	1	1,000	384		75
Mulino		53		1		1	4	29	145	1	15			4	7,000			210		
Newberg	9	369	2	4	1	2	1	37	325	1	98	1	44	1	4,000	1	1,500	120		
Oregon City	10	270	1	2	1	39	2	30	360	1	60	1	25	2	46,500			400	500	11,900
Oswego	3	113		2	1	17	4	30	140	2	55			2	3,000			500		
Pleasant Home and Boring	2	103	3	1			3	24	290	3	57			3	5,600	1	600		50	200
Salem—First Church	22	1,069	4	6	11	70	1	48	944	1	180			1	40,000	1	12,000		1,275	6,568
Leslie		200	3	4	8	9	1	24	255	1	40			1	12,000	1	1,500		1,800	4,600
Jason Lee Memorial	4	201	1		6	25	1	12	160	1	40			1	17,000			6,084		10,916
West Salem		66		1	1	4	2	14	70					2	2,500	1	2,000		120	485
Sandy					1		3	8	52					3	6,000	1	200			
Sheridan	52	197		2	5	61	1	16	235	1	25			1	4,000	1	800	400		381
Silverton	7	92		2	2	3	1	20	227	1	39			1	4,500	1	1,500	72		
Tillamook		167	1	1	5	5	1	10	140	1	36			1	2,500	1	2,000	225		
Tualatin and Wilsonville	5	75	1	3		10	3	18	150	3	50	1	44	3	9,500			2,000	600	1,500
Viola		62	1			7	4	12	145					4	4,000	1	700	100		
Willamina		51	1				1	11	115	1	40			3	4,400	1	900	40	340	
Woodburn	12	340	3	3	10	14	1	32	272	1	70			1	5,000	1	1,300	226		
Yamhill	3	123	1	1	2	5	2	21	150	1	52			3	4,500	2	1,000	60		
Total	209	6,145	31	62	108	332	78	806	7,637	40	1,458	10	324	81	301,600	35	54,100	20,096	6,034	44,270
Increase from 1911	12	387		7	1	87	5	6	659	5	145			5	38,050	1	1,600		4,001	15,410
Decrease from 1911			4									3	150					31,610		

NAME OF CHARGE	NAMES OF PASTORS	PASTOR'S SUPPORT: Claims: Salary	Claims: House Rent	Claims: Total	Receipts: Salary	Receipts: House Rent	Receipts: Total	Deficiencies	Support of Conference Claimants: Amount Apport'ned	Support of Conference Claimants: Amount Paid	Support of District Superint'dt: Amount Apport'ned	Support of District Superint'dt: Amount Paid	Support of Bishops: Amount Apport'ned	Support of Bishops: Amount Paid	Total Sup. Pastors Conf. Cl., Dist. Sup. and Bishops	Current Expenses: Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Current Expenses: Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Current Expenses: Total
Amity	Edward Gittins	$ 800	$ 80	$ 880	$ 800	$ 80	$ 880	.....	$ 24	$ 24	$ 80	$ 80	$ 12	$ 12	$ 996	$ 72	$ 65	$ 137
Ballston	J. M. Hixon	550	.....	550	540	.....	540	10	16	16	55	54	5	5	615	25	60	85
Banks	L. F. Smith	350	60	410	350	60	410	.....	.....	9	.....	23	.....	3	445	85	35	120
Bay City and Nehalem	J. H. Irvin	700	150	850	700	150	850	.....	21	15	70	70	7	6	941	25	40	65
Beaverton	C. B. Rees	570	75	645	553	75	628	18	17	17	57	57	6	6	708	25	100	125
Brooks	T. D. Yarnes	375	75	450	375	75	450	.....	12	15	38	38	4	4	507	28	68	96
Canby	C. L. Creesy	720	150	870	720	150	870	.....	22	22	72	72	7	7	971	85	50	135
Carlton	R. H. Stone	137	.....	137	137	.....	137	.....	4	5	16	16	1	1	159	40	25	65
Clackamas and Oak Grove	Henry Spiess	800	100	900	650	100	750	150	24	24	80	70	10	10	854	94	135	229
Cleone	G. A. Jahn	625	.....	625	418	.....	418	207	18	.....	62	5	6	.....	423	34	10	44
Cornelius	S. H. Dewart	514	100	614	514	100	614	.....	15	15	50	50	5	5	684	72	60	132
Currensville	B. J. Hoadly	150	.....	150	150	.....	150	.....	5	5	20	20	1	2	176	.....	10	10
Dallas	D. Lester Fields	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	.....	30	30	100	100	10	10	1340	177	96	273
Dayton	S. J. Kester	725	200	925	725	200	925	.....	21	21	72	72	7	7	1025	72	44	116
Estacada	W. R. F. Browne	850	150	1000	715	150	865	135	25	21	85	68	8	7	961	130	98	228
Falls City	F. M. Waehlte	350	100	450	362	106	462	.....	11	11	35	35	4	4	512	42	45	87
Forest Grove	Hiram Gould	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	.....	30	30	100	100	10	10	1340	371	382	753
Gresham	G. F. Hopkins	1200	180	1380	1100	180	1280	100	36	33	90	90	12	11	1414	204	120	324
Hillsboro	W. J. Weber	1200	300	1500	1200	300	1500	.....	36	36	120	120	12	12	1668	305	84	389
Hope Chapel	F. M. Jasper	325	.....	325	285	.....	285	40	10	9	33	28	3	2	324	10	38	48
Hubbard and North Plains	F. S. Francis	.....	.....	.....	180	.....	180	.....	.....	5	.....	18	.....	2	205	.....	.....	.....
Lafayette	T. H. Downs	650	60	710	650	60	710	.....	24	18	65	65	6	6	799	75	80	155
Lents	W. B. Moore	800	150	950	810	150	960	.....	32	24	75	85	8	8	1077	125	152	277
Marquam	C. W. Comstock	500	100	600	385	100	485	115	15	5	50	12	5	.....	502	36	25	61
McMinnville	H. T. Atkinson	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	.....	30	30	100	100	10	10	1340	145	126	271
Mulino	W. L. Wilson	535	.....	535	535	.....	535	.....	16	16	55	55	8	8	614	142	63	205
Newberg	W. C. Reuter	1300	200	1500	1300	200	1500	.....	39	39	130	130	13	13	1682	185	242	427
Oregon City	T. B. Ford	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	.....	30	30	100	100	15	15	1345	230	150	380
Oswego	Robert Brymer	584	.....	584	584	.....	584	.....	17	17	58	58	6	6	665	40	125	165
Pleasant Home & Boring	A. B. Calder	775	.....	775	752	.....	752	23	21	21	75	70	7	6	849	100	90	190
Salem—First Church	R. N. Avison	2100	400	2500	2100	400	2500	.....	63	63	210	210	21	21	2794	2468	570	3038
Leslie	A. C. Brackenbury	950	175	1125	950	175	1125	.....	27	27	92	92	9	9	1253	110	100	210
Jason Lee Memorial	W. C. Stewart	600	120	720	600	120	720	.....	18	18	60	60	6	6	804	165	100	265
West Salem	M. L. Bullock	350	90	440	350	90	440	.....	10	10	35	35	3	3	488	40	60	100
Sandy	W. S. Runyan	100	.....	100	101	.....	101	.....	3	.....	10	9	1	.....	110	.....	.....	.....
Sheridan	H. W. Kuhlman	950	100	1050	965	100	1065	.....	27	27	90	90	9	9	1191	115	110	225
Silverton	J. E. Spencer	800	150	950	800	150	950	.....	24	24	80	80	8	8	1062	159	120	279
Tillamook	J. T. Moore	1200	300	1500	1200	300	1500	.....	36	36	120	120	12	12	1668	150	110	260
Tualatin and Wilsonville	R. S. Bishop	800	.....	800	760	10	770	30	24	22	80	72	8	7	871	100	100	200
Viola	C. C. Coop	385	75	460	335	75	410	50	9	7	38	29	3	3	449	.....	84	84
Willamina	A. S. Mulligan	300	72	372	300	72	372	.....	9	10	30	30	5	5	417	39	28	67
Woodburn	W. S. Gordon	1400	200	1600	1400	200	1600	.....	42	42	140	140	13	13	1795	422	150	572
Yamhill	T. L. Jones	820	100	920	820	100	920	.....	25	25	80	80	8	8	1033	125	120	245
Total		30703	4812	35515	30034	4822	34983	878	914	874	2992	2808	313	274	38939	6827	4245	11072
Increase from 1911		2462	289	2751	2052	224	2401	302	80	113	687	.....	.....	.....	2278	1050	630	1660
Decrease from 1911		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	128	81	87	.....	.....	.....	.....

NAME OF CHARGES	BENOVELENT COLLECTIONS—Disciplinary																																				
	MISSIONS						Board of Ed.			Bd.S.S												Other Benevolent Collections															
	Bd. For. Mis.			B.H.M.-C.E.														W.H.M. Societ.y																			
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Sc.	(c) Special Gifts	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Sc.	(c) Special Gifts	(a) Church General Educa.	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Children's Fund	(a) Church	(b) Sunday School	Bd. C. Cl.—Connectional Fund	Bd. C. Cl.—Permanent Fund	Freedmen's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	(a) Cash	(b) Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Temperance	Laymen's Association	Other Benevolent Collections	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Central Office Ex. Epworth League	Grand Total
Amity	40	18	....	35	23	....	....	....	3	....	8	5	....	12	2	....	20	25	191	30	....	10	2	233	....	2	235
Ballston	20	8	52	20	8	....	1	....	10	....	5	....	....	5	2	49	27	....	207	16	....	....	8	231	....	2	233
Banks	20	8	....	20	8	....	5	....	5	....	....	1	....	4	1	....	....	....	72	15	....	....	....	87	....	1	88
Bay City and Nehalem	22	....	....	35	....	....	2	....	4	3	....	3	....	3	1	....	....	....	73	5	....	1	2	81	....	....	81
Beaverton	25	5	....	25	5	....	2	....	3	4	....	6	....	4	1	....	....	....	80	4	1	2	....	87	....	....	87
Brooks	23	8	3	23	8	3	....	....	....	4	....	9	....	4	1	....	....	....	86	20	8	3	3	120	....	....	120
Canby	30	5	....	30	5	....	2	....	3	5	2	7	....	5	2	17	....	....	113	10	2	....	2	127	....	....	127
Carlton	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Clackamas and Oak Grove	25	....	....	....	25	....	....	....	3	3	....	....	....	3	1	....	....	....	60	25	1	....	....	86	....	2	88
Cleone	6	....	....	8	....	....	1	....	....	1	....	2	....	1	....	....	....	....	19	....	1	....	....	20	....	....	20
Cornelius	11	16	....	11	16	....	1	....	....	....	3	5	....	3	....	....	....	....	66	8	....	....	....	74	....	....	74
Currensville	5	4	....	5	4	....	1	....	....	1	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	22	4	1	....	....	27	....	....	27
Dallas	55	5	....	55	5	....	3	....	3	3	....	10	....	7	1	....	42	....	189	30	....	7	163	389	....	2	391
Dayton	13	11	25	13	11	....	....	....	1	....	2	....	....	4	....	1	....	....	81	10	....	....	2	93	....	....	93
Estacada	10	....	....	10	....	....	5	....	4	....	2	2	....	....	1	....	....	....	34	....	....	....	....	34	....	....	34
Falls City	20	5	....	20	5	....	1	....	3	....	3	4	....	5	2	....	....	....	68	5	....	2	....	75	....	1	76
Forest Grove	79	50	55	77	50	....	3	....	10	....	10	10	....	15	4	48	174	....	585	60	10	35	35	725	....	4	729
Gresham	30	15	....	22	15	....	2	....	3	5	....	....	....	5	1	....	142	14	254	15	10	....	....	279	....	1	280
Hillsboro	90	21	....	90	21	....	3	....	6	....	10	12	....	15	1	....	53	....	322	45	2	3	....	372	....	1	373
Hope Chapel	8	2	....	9	1	....	....	....	1	....	1	2	....	2	....	....	....	....	26	4	....	....	....	30	1	....	31
Hubbard and North Plains	8	....	10	8	....	....	1	....	....	2	....	....	....	2	1	....	....	....	32	4	....	1	....	37	....	....	37
Lafayette	19	6	....	19	6	....	1	....	1	2	1	6	....	2	1	....	....	....	64	10	1	2	12	89	....	....	89
Lents	28	22	....	28	22	....	2	....	5	3	2	7	....	5	1	33	....	....	158	20	23	4	54	259	....	....	259
Marquam	24	....	16	24	....	....	....	....	2	2	....	4	....	2	....	....	....	....	74	....	....	....	2	76	....	....	76
McMinnville	110	20	....	110	20	....	3	....	4	....	10	10	....	18	4	110	157	....	576	50	2	10	194	832	....	4	836
Mulino	24	....	....	24	....	....	1	....	7	4	....	....	....	4	1	....	....	....	65	....	....	....	....	65	....	....	65
Newberg	84	45	....	84	45	....	3	....	8	13	....	15	....	18	5	71	99	18	508	50	8	18	....	584	....	....	584
Oregon City	60	15	....	60	15	....	2	....	2	2	2	10	....	2	....	31	50	52	303	....	....	....	....	303	....	....	303
Oswego	2	8	....	5	5	....	....	1	....	....	1	2	....	1	....	....	....	....	25	....	....	....	2	27	....	3	30
Pleasant Home and Boring	20	5	....	20	5	....	2	....	4	2	3	7	....	3	1	....	8	....	80	5	1	5	14	105	....	3	108
Salem—First Church	441	50	306	440	60	312	15	....	19	....	20	21	....	60	10	639	661	45	3099	250	65	75	92	3631	....	7	3638
Leslie	50	12	....	50	12	....	2	....	6	8	....	9	....	7	1	....	....	....	157	25	....	....	52	229	....	3	232
Jason Lee Memorial	23	....	....	23	....	....	....	3	....	6	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	56	....	15	....	....	71	....	3	74
West Salem	5	....	....	5	....	....	3	....	....	2	....	....	....	2	1	....	....	....	18	....	....	....	....	18	....	....	18
Sandy	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	12	15	....	....	15
Sheridan	40	36	....	40	36	....	....	2	5	8	....	9	....	9	4	62	....	....	251	35	....	30	56	372	....	....	372
Silverton	21	16	....	21	15	....	2	....	5	6	....	....	....	5	1	....	42	1	135	13	4	....	47	199	....	....	199
Tillamook	131	5	....	62	5	....	2	....	2	7	2	12	....	9	2	....	....	....	239	42	2	20	122	423	....	....	423
Tualatin and Wilsonville	5	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	16	3	....	....	....	19	....	4	23
Viola	20	5	....	20	5	....	1	....	5	....	....	1	....	2	1	....	....	....	60	6	....	....	....	66	....	....	66
Willamina	23	7	....	23	7	....	1	....	2	2	3	....	....	4	1	2	2	....	77	12	....	10	....	99	....	1	100
Woodburn	111	19	....	111	19	....	4	....	10	7	7	....	....	18	2	107	51	....	466	70	2	....	78	616	....	3	619
Yamhill	35	10	....	35	10	....	....	2	....	2	....	8	....	4	2	2	2	....	112	15	11	15	5	158	....	....	158
Total	1816	462	467	1725	497	315	77	8	152	112	97	200	....	275	61	1172	1531	155	9122	916	170	253	959	11463	1	47	11511
Increase from 1911	498	10	290	354	81	315	....	5	18	....	67	....	....	42	16	....	112	....	981	11	143	....	....	....	....	1	....
Decrease from 1911	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	....	....	174	....	5	....	....	....	435	....	148	....	....	....	221	1107	123	152	....	274

LAYMEN'S ASSOCIATION OF THE OREGON CONFERENCE.

The Laymen's Association of the Oregon Conference met for its annual session in the First Presbyterian Church of Ashland, Oregon, on Friday, September 20th, 1912. The meeting was called to order by the president, R. A. Booth, of Eugene. The devotions were led by James Campbell, of Medford. The officers present were as follows:

President—R. A. Booth.

Vice-President—James Campbell.

Corresponding Secretary—T. S. McDaniel.

Following the devotions, Bishop Cooke was introduced and addressed the Association.

In the absence of F. B. Sackett, Geo. R. Lindley of Medford was elected recording secretary pro tem.

The roll call of the various charges was then made which showed the following delegates present:

Albany, Mrs. A. M. Hammer, A. M. Hammer, Mrs. D. H. Leech; Ashland, G. F. Billings, Mrs. G. F. Billings, O. J. Rathbun, Miss Grace Garrett, Mrs. Hathaway, A. M. Beaver, Miss Lulu Smith; Amity, C. M. Rees; Brownsville, Chas. Holloway, Mrs. Chas. Holloway; Cottage Grove, J. I. Jones; Drain, I. S. Parks; Eugene, R. A. Booth, Mrs. R. A. Booth, Mrs. J. T. Abbett, Mrs. L. E. Norris, Mrs. H. S. Wilkinson; Forest Grove, Mrs. H. Gould, Chester Wright, Mrs. Chester Wright; Gold Hill, Ashland, Mrs. Mae Avery, Mrs. Maggie Haney; Grants Pass, H. L. Gilkey, A. B. Cornell, S. Baker, E. F. Hare, Mrs. C. A. Hinkle; Halsey, Mrs. W. M. Erskine; Junction, Mrs. J. H. Skidmore; Klamath Falls, Mrs. C. V. Fisher; Newberg, Mrs. L. F. Moore; Oregon City, C. F. Hagerman, C. A. Williams; Oswego, Mrs. Robert Brymer; Portland, Centenary Church, Miss L. A. Wheeler, Miss B. Wood, Mrs. D. H. Trimble; Central Church, Mrs. C. L. Hamilton; Epworth Church, R. M. Speelmon; First Church, T. S. McDaniel, H. L. Sheldon, R. H. Hughes; Laurelwood Church, H. G. Knox; Sunnyside Church, I. L. Pease, J. M. Mardars, Miss Hepburn; Trinity Church, Fred C. Dunlap, Mrs. Fred C. Dunlap; Roseburg, Mrs. S. L. Dillard, Mrs. L. A. Marsters; Salem, First Church, Mrs. J. T. Penn, Mrs. R. N. Avison, Hans Schroeder, Mrs. E. H. Todd; Talent, Mrs. L. L. Jeffrey; Viola, C. C. Coop; Wilbur, Mrs. A. S. Jenkins; Wolf Creek, Mrs. J. W. Cullin, J. W. Cullin.

Mr. E. E. Shipley, member of the local Book Concern at Cincinnati, was introduced and spoke regarding the Methodist Book

Concern which was followed by remarks upon the same subject by Dr. H. C. Jennings, resident manager of the Book Concern at Cincinnati.

The president appointed a nominating committee consisting of I. L. Pease, A. M. Hammer, C. A. Meeker and Mrs. E. H. Todd.

Mrs. J. T. Penn addressed the Association in the interest of the Old People's Home at Salem.

The nominating committee made its report, making the following nominations:

President—R. A. Booth.

Vice-Presidents—B. Lee Paget, A. A. Lee, J. S. VanWinkle, James Campbell.

Corresponding Secretary—T. S. McDaniel.

Recording Secretary—F. B. Sackett.

Treasurer—J. L. Hartman.

And selected Theo. Fessler as trustee for the Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund.

On motion the report of the committee was received and approved continung the election of these persons to the offices named for the ensuing conference year.

On motion the Association adjourned to meet in the First Presbyterian Church on Saturday morning.

Saturday Morning Session.

The Association reconvened at nine o'clock. Devotions were led by Miss Florence Twidwell. H. L. Sheldon, secretary of the Anti-Saloon League for Oregon, addressed the association in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League.

In discussing various forms of work of the Laymen's Associaton, remarks were made by Mrs E. H. Todd of Salem, A. M. Hammer of Albany, R. M. Speelmon of Portland, J. W. Cullen of Wolf Creek and others and the Association was visited by a committee from the Oregon Conference consisting of Dr. Fletcher Homan, Rev. Hiram Gould, and Rev. W. T. Kerr. Dr. Homan was introduced and presented the greetings of the Conference and invited the Association to meet the conference at a joint session at eleven o'clock.

On motion the invitation for the joint session was duly accepted.

At the joint session of the Laymen's Association with the Oregon Conference in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, T. S. McDaniel, corresponding secretary, made brief report of the

work of the Association during the past year and closed by presenting Rev. T. L. Jones with warrant for $500.00 for the Conference Claimants' Fund and $500.00 to Willamette University for current expense fund.

President R. A. Booth then addressed the Conference on behalf of the Laymen's Association and was followed by Bishop R. J. Cooke, who spoke on behalf of the conference.

The report of the Corresponding Secretary showed that very heavy correspondence had been carried on with the various churches of the Conference during the year and that a considerable number of them had been visited by the Laymen's Association in the interest of the work, and that the disbursements were as follows:

Printing	$ 21.75
Pastors	35.00
Printing Conference Minutes	25.00
Missionary Survey of Oregon	20.00
Kimball College	450.00
Conference Claimants	500.00
Willamette University	750.00
Churches and Parsonages	896.50
Total	$2698.25

In addition to this, including the work of the City Church Extension Society of the Cty of Portland, the disbursements were as follows:

Ministerial Support	$1025.00
Churches and Parsonages	2214.00
Total	$3239.00

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